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## FOREWORD

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This summer we have collected data from the clerk of the supreme court, clerks of the district courts, and probate judges, showing the judicial business transacted in those courts within the year ending June 30, 1938, and the business pending on that date. These reports have come to us more promptly and in better condition than at any previous time we have collected similar data. This is the first time we have been able to publish in our October BULLETIN summaries and tables made from these reports. We thank each of the clerks and judges for their coöperation in making this possible.

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Summaries and tables compiled from these reports are published in this issue, and in the order shown by the table of contents. Collectively they indicate that the business in our courts, generally speaking, is moving along with greater expedition, and that the work is being done more efficiently than at any time we have collected such data heretofore. This is especially noticeable in the reports of the probate courts. Evidently their books are being kept better than ever before, and more intelligent efforts are being made to do the work well and with reasonable promptness. This showing is gratifying indeed, though there is still room for improvement, particularly in about a dozen of the counties.

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In the 34 counties in which county courts have been created, under an optional statute [G. S. 1935, 20-801], the probate judges have reported on the business transacted in the county courts. The number of these courts is increasing, and they are rapidly becoming a substantial unit of our judicial system. Of the 3,261 cases tried in these courts within the year, there were but 37 jury trials and only 45 appeals. While courts are not operated on a money-making basis, it is worthwhile to note that the total collections and savings to the counties of these courts exceed their expense to the counties in the ratio of about 3 to 2.

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The tentative draft of the act relating to estates and procedure in probate court, published in our April BULLETIN, has received further study at meetings of the Judicial Council in July and September, and will be considered at a later meeting in November. Collectively we have received many letters from lawyers, judges and others interested, commending our efforts and offering suggestions for its improvement. We welcome more suggestions of this character. Because of these suggestions, and from our further study of the tentative draft, we have made some changes which we think further clarify it. We are also preparing explanatory notes for each section, and comparing them to present sections of the statute. All of this will be published in our December BULLETIN, which we hope to have printed and distributed two or three weeks before the legislature convenes.

## Summary of the Work of the Supreme Court

The following is a summary of the work of the supreme court for the year ending June 30, 1938, and of cases pending on July 1, 1938:

There were 388 appealed civil cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 131 were dismissed without having been presented on the merits and 253 were submitted on the merits and written opinions filed therein, and 4 cases were decided without written opinions. Of these 173 were affirmed and 70 reversed, and in 14 cases the judgment of the trial court was modified.

The court also disposed of 41 appealed criminal cases. Of this number 25 were dismissed without having been presented on the merits, and 16 were submitted on the merits and written opinions filed. Of this number 14 were affirmed and 2 reversed.

The court also disposed of 32 original cases. Of this number 6 were dismissed before having been presented on the merits; 26 were submitted on the merits and written opinions filed, resulting in judgment for plaintiff in 8 cases, for defendant in 16 cases, in 1 case in part for plaintiff and part for defendant, and in 1 case questions of law were ruled upon.

This makes a total of 461 cases disposed of by the supreme court, of which 162 were dismissed without having been presented on the merits, and 295 were submitted on the merits and written opinions filed, and 4 cases were decided without written opinions.

The cases pending July 1, 1938, were as follows: 219 appealed civil cases, 20 appealed criminal cases, and 5 original cases, making a total of 244 cases.

Of the 295 cases submitted to the supreme court on their merits and in which written opinions were filed, in 25 cases the opinions were filed before the first regular opinion day, in 251 cases on the first regular opinion day, in 18 cases on the second opinion day, and in 1 case on the third opinion day. The regular opinion day ordinarily is a month after the case is submitted; more accurately, it is the Saturday of the week hearings are had the next month after the case is submitted.

In the appealed civil cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938, and pending on that date, the time between the date of judgment appealed from and the date notice of appeal was filed in the trial court is as follows: Within 10 days, 127 cases; in 10 to 30 days, 139 cases; in 1 to 2 months, 170 cases; in 2 to 3 months, 42 cases; in 3 to 4 months, 45 cases; in 4 to 5 months, 24 cases; in 5 to 6 months, 23 cases; over 6 months, 13 cases; time not stated, 24 cases.

In the appealed civil cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938, and pending on that date, the time between the date notice of appeal was filed in the trial court and the date notice of appeal was filed in the supreme court is as follows: Within 5 days, 310 cases; within 5 to 10 days, 110 cases; within 10 to 20 days, 85 cases; within 20 to 30 days, 32 cases; within 1 to 2 months, 29 cases; within 2 to 3 month, 6 cases; within 3 to 4 months, 7 cases; within 4 to 5 months, 2 cases; over 5 months, 7 cases; time not stated, 19 cases.

In the appealed civil cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938, and pending on that date, the time between the date notice of appeal was filed in the supreme court and the date deposit for costs was made is as follows: Within 5 days, 178 cases; 5 to 15 days, 106 cases; in 15 to 30 days, 112 cases; in 1 to 2 months, 49 cases; in 2 to 3 months, 12 cases; over 3 months, 7 cases; time not stated, 143 cases.



In the appealed civil cases in which opinions were filed within the year ending June 30, 1938, the time between the date notice of appeal was filed in this court and the date the case was submitted on its merits is as follows: Within 3 months, 13 cases; in 3 to 4 months, 61 cases; in 4 to 5 months, 63 cases; in 5 to 6 months, 23 cases; in 6 to 7 months, 40 cases; in 7 to 8 months, 20 cases; in 8 to 9 months, 15 cases; in 9 to 12 months, 18 cases; in 12 to 15 months, 1 case; later than 15 months, 3 cases. (Note: 4 decided without opinions.)

In the appealed criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938, and pending on that date, the time between the date of judgment appealed from and the date the notice of appeal was filed in the trial court is as follows: On the same day, 8 cases; not the same day but within 5 days, 10 cases; from 5 to 10 days, 9 cases; from 10 to 20 days, 5 cases; from 20 to 30 days, 9 cases; from 1 to 2 months, 8 cases; from 2 to 3 months, 1 case; from 3 to 4 months, 3 cases; from 5 to 6 months, 2 cases; from 6 to 12 months, 3 cases; from 1 to 2 years, 1 case; time not given, 2 cases.

In the appealed criminal cases disposed of by the supreme court within the year ending June 30, 1938, and pending on that date, the time between the date notice of appeal was filed in the trial court and the date it was filed in the supreme court is as follows: Within 5 days, 26 cases; in 5 to 10 days, 9 cases; in 10 to 20 days, 14 cases; in 20 to 30 days, 2 cases; in 1 to 2 months, 3 cases; in 2 to 3 months, 1 case; in 3 to 4 months, 1 case; in 4 to 6 months, 2 cases, and in 3 cases the time was not given.

In the appealed criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938, and pending on that date, the time between the date the notice of appeal was filed in the supreme court and the date the deposit for costs was made is as follows: Within 5 days, 10 cases; in 5 to 15 days, 8 cases; in 15 to 30 days, 12 cases; in 1 to 2 months, 7 cases; over 3 months, 4 cases; time not stated, 20 cases.

In the appealed criminal cases in which opinions were filed within the year ending June 30, 1938, the time between the date the notice of appeal was filed in the supreme court and the date the case was submitted on its merits, is as follows: Within 3 months, 2 cases; in 3 to 4 months, 2 cases; in 4 to 5 months, 5 cases, in 7 to 9 months, 2 cases; in 9 to 12 months, 3 cases; and in 12 to 15 months, 2 cases.

In the appealed civil cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938, the costs in 383 cases reported on are as follows: Minimum amount, \$3.15; maximum, \$41.40; aggregate, \$5,145.26; average, \$13.43.

In the appealed criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938, the costs in 40 cases reported on are as follows: Minimum amount, \$3.85; maximum, \$26.30; aggregate, \$472.05; average, \$11.80.

In the original cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938, the costs in 29 cases reported on are as follows: Minimum, \$3.55; maximum, \$511.80; aggregate, \$1,301.57; average, \$4.48.

In the year ending June 30, 1938, the court disposed of 577 motions, of which 37 were withdrawn or not presented, 480 were allowed, and 50 denied. There were 10 motions pending on July 1, 1938.

There were pending in the supreme court July 1, 1938, a total of 244 cases, compared with 210 on the same date in 1937, 268 in 1936, 291 in 1935, 366 in 1934, 333 in 1933, 357 in 1932, 393 in 1931, 397 in 1930, 376 in 1929, and 341 in 1928.

### Supreme Court: Eleven Year Summary

In the eleven years the clerk of the supreme court has furnished us detailed information of the work of that court it has disposed of 6,293 cases, of which 2,030 were dismissed before final submission, and 4,266 were submitted on the merits and written opinions filed.

#### ELEVEN-YEAR SUMMARY, KANSAS SUPREME COURT

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30.	Cases.	Disposed of.	Dismissed.	Submitted.
1928.....	Appealed, civil.....	529	143	386
	Appealed, criminal.....	101	44	57
	Original.....	46	13	33
Totals.....		676	200	476
1929.....	Appealed, civil.....	475	128	347
	Appealed, criminal.....	72	29	43
	Original.....	36	18	18
Totals.....		583	175	408
1930.....	Appealed, civil*.....	504	143	351
	Appealed, criminal.....	77	37	40
	Original.....	52	16	36
Totals.....		633	196	437
1931.....	Appealed, civil.....	490	131	359
	Appealed, criminal.....	63	29	34
	Original.....	38	13	25
Totals.....		591	173	418
1932.....	Appealed, civil.....	522	159	363
	Appealed, criminal.....	74	45	29
	Original.....	32	6	26
Totals.....		628	210	418
1933.....	Appealed, civil.....	459	135	324
	Appealed, criminal.....	66	35	31
	Original.....	23	5	18
Totals.....		548	175	373
1934.....	Appealed, civil.....	427	149	278
	Appealed, criminal.....	52	30	22
	Original.....	42	11	31
Totals.....		521	190	331
1935.....	Appealed, civil.....	506	167	339
	Appealed, criminal.....	58	26	32
	Original.....	25	11	14
Totals.....		589	204	385
1936.....	Appealed, civil.....	475	156	319
	Appealed, criminal.....	66	31	35
	Original.....	39	19	20
Totals.....		580	206	374
1937.....	Appealed, civil.....	397	103	294
	Appealed, criminal.....	56	27	29
	Original.....	33	9	24
Totals.....		486	139	347
1938.....	Appealed, civil.....	388	131	257
	Appealed, criminal.....	41	25	16
	Original.....	32	6	26
Totals.....		461	162	299
Grand totals...		6,296	2,030	4,266

## DISPOSITION OF APPEALED CASES BY WRITTEN OPINIONS

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30.	Cases.	Affirmed.	Percent.	Reversed.	Percent.	Modified.	Percent.	Total.
1928.....	Appealed, civil.....	261	68	104	27	21	5	386
	Appealed, criminal.....	52	91	5	9	0	0	57
1929.....	Appealed, civil.....	238	69	94	27	15	4	347
	Appealed, criminal.....	39	91	4	9	0	0	43
1930.....	Appealed, civil.....	258	72	92	25	11	3	361
	Appealed, criminal.....	31	78	9	22	0	0	40
1931.....	Appealed, civil.....	258	72	73	20	28	5	359
	Appealed, criminal.....	28	82	6	18	0	0	34
1932.....	Appealed, civil.....	267	74	80	22	16	4	363
	Appealed, criminal.....	24	83	5	17	0	0	29
1933.....	Appealed, civil.....	215	66	87	27	22	7	324
	Appealed, criminal.....	26	84	5	16	0	0	32
1934.....	Appealed, civil.....	169	61	91	33	18	6	278
	Appealed, criminal.....	19	86	3	14	0	0	22
1935.....	Appealed, civil.....	211	62	116	34	12	6	339
	Appealed, criminal.....	26	81	6	19	0	0	32
1936.....	Appealed, civil.....	168	53	130	40	21	7	319
	Appealed, criminal.....	25	72	10	28	0	0	35
1937.....	Appealed, civil.....	194	75	88	22	12	3	294
	Appealed, criminal.....	24	83	3	10	2	7	29
1938.....	Appealed, civil.....	173	67	70	27	14	6	257
	Appealed, criminal.....	14	88	2	12	0	0	16
Totals.....	Appealed, civil.....	2,412	67	1,025	28	190	5	3,627
	Appealed, criminal.....	308	84	58	16	2	0	368
Grand totals.....		2,720	.....	1,083	.....	192	.....	3,995

# COUNTY COURTS

BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS IN YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938

County.	Year court created.	Criminal cases, misdemeanors.			Preliminary examinations.	Civil cases in justice of the peace jurisdiction.			Civil cases above justice of the peace jurisdiction.			Total cases.		
		No.	To jury.	Appeals.		No.	To jury.	Appeals.	No.	To jury.	Appeals.	No.	To jury.	Appeals.
Allen.....	1935	40	0	0	18	10	0	0	4	0	0	72	0	0
Brown.....	1937	33	0	0	10	53	0	0	8	0	0	104	0	0
Butler.....	1934	138	0	1	40	136	0	0	15	0	3	329	0	4
Clay.....	1934	100	1	0	14	52	0	1	5	0	0	171	1	0
Cloud.....	1930	67	1	0	8	32	2	3	5	0	0	112	3	3
Coffey.....	1930	63	1	0	2	20	1	0	5	1	0	90	3	0
Deatur.....	1937	37	0	0	3	11	0	0	2	0	0	53	0	0
Dickinson.....	1938	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	8	0	0
Doniphan.....	1937	59	14	0	34	18	1	0	11	0	0	122	15	0
Edwards.....	1926	42	0	0	0	38	1	2	3	0	0	91	1	2
Finney.....	1924	44	1	1	26	49	2	2	4	0	0	123	3	3
Ford.....	1932	46	0	0	15	65	0	1	14	0	0	140	0	1
Geary.....	1937	99	1	1	24	28	0	0	5	0	0	156	1	1
Greenwood.....	1926	52	0	0	19	60	0	2	17	0	0	148	0	4
Hodgeman.....	1928	18	0	4	4	24	0	0	4	0	0	50	0	0
Kearney.....	1932	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Marion.....	1929	65	0	0	28	14	1	0	17	0	0	124	1	0
Marshall.....	1929	116	0	1	13	23	0	0	4	0	0	156	0	1
Mitchell.....	1923	81	1	1	28	52	1	0	11	0	0	172	2	2
Morris.....	1924	64	2	0	64	33	1	2	7	0	0	168	3	3
Osage.....	1929	117	0	0	8	42	0	1	0	0	0	167	0	1
Osborne.....	1924	19	0	0	0	24	0	0	8	0	0	51	0	0
Pawnee.....	1924	5	0	0	2	27	2	1	0	0	0	34	2	1
Phillips.....	1925	79	0	7	2	21	0	0	7	0	0	109	0	8
Rawlins.....	1929	25	1	0	9	16	0	0	4	0	0	54	1	0
Republic.....	1937	89	1	1	1	63	1	0	8	0	0	161	2	1
Rush.....	1924	65	0	0	8	41	0	0	11	0	0	125	0	0
Russell.....	1937	6	0	2	1	47	0	3	18	0	0	72	0	5
Stevens.....	1925	57	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	59	0	2
Thomas.....	1928	27	0	0	3	25	0	0	3	0	0	58	0	0
Trego.....	1925	25	0	0	2	19	0	0	2	0	0	48	0	0
Wallace.....	1923	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Washington.....	1935	79	0	0	2	40	0	0	10	0	0	131	0	0
Woodson.....	1934	4	0	0	0	5	0	2	1	0	0	10	0	2
Totals.....	.....	1,768	24	19	396	1,091	13	23	215	1	4	3,470	38	46

COUNTY COURTS—BUSINESS TRANSACTED IN YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938—CONCLUDED

COUNTY.	Total court costs, civil cases.	Total court costs, criminal cases.	Costs paid by work.	Total fines.	Fines paid by work.	Costs saved county in cases dismissed.	Costs saved to county in preliminary examina- tions.	Annual salary of judge in addition to salary as pro- bate judge.	Additional salary of judge in expense to county.
Allen.....	\$37.10	\$90.15	\$62.30	\$376.45	\$5.00	\$218.05	†.....	\$800.00	\$40.00
Brown.....	125.40	23.20	50.70	50.00	100.00	14.00	.....	800.00	362.41
Butler.....	278.95	717.76	.....	383.50	.....	315.56	354.15	1,000.00	.....
Clay.....	129.95	198.25	59.00	668.50	347.50	55.25	70.50	600.00	10.00
Cloud.....	233.35	602.50	755.65	661.10	446.55	76.30	110.70	650.00	330.00
Coffey.....	122.85	440.20	.....	247.00	.....	244.65	5.65	600.00	.....
Decatur.....	20.10	80.80	.....	301.00	.....	27.00	6.00	550.00	135.00
Dickinson.....	6.00	9.00	.....	100.00	.....	.....	.....	900.00	350.00
Doniphan.....	219.03	368.80	151.05	104.00	145.00	683.36	350.95	600.00	.....
Edwards.....	71.50	152.00	.....	152.00	8.00	.....	.....	550.00	271.95
Finney.....	136.37	203.25	.....	281.75	.....	.....	156.00	600.00	.....
Ford.....	328.00	88.75	.....	47.00	.....	98.00	60.00	700.00	.....
Geary.....	86.15	185.75	64.50	92.00	386.25	68.50	120.00	600.00	275.00
Greenwood.....	285.20	126.94	23.70	568.20	10.00	.....	.....	650.00	.....
Hodgeman.....	116.40	198.00	.....	64.75	.....	.....	.....	450.00	.....
Kearny.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100.00	.....	300.00	.....
Marion.....	108.50	255.00	90.00	1,384.36	188.25	25.00	140.00	800.00	.....
Marshall.....	79.70	439.08	.....	821.20	.....	153.08	139.60	800.00	2.50
Mitchell.....	294.10	232.01	*	237.00	*	55.00	83.00	600.00	25.00
Morris.....	173.80	413.05	.....	200.00	.....	.....	.....	600.00	.....
Ossage.....	97.00	128.75	62.05	80.00	525.00	150.00	19.00	650.00	55.00
Osborne.....	114.05	83.10	.....	90.00	.....	23.00	4.00	600.00	.....
Pawnee.....	64.50	104.35	.....	25.00	.....	.....	39.70	550.00	.....
Phillips.....	158.20	357.35	.....	475.20	.....	39.85	10.00	600.00	.....
Rawlins.....	37.65	21.35	.....	40.00	.....	25.00	25.00	550.00	.....
Republic.....	239.95	173.44	140.41	437.50	173.00	.....	.....	650.00	374.15
Rush.....	237.10	689.92	64.75	640.00	.....	20.50	.....	550.00	213.35
Russell.....	116.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600.00	.....
Stevens.....	33.95	301.02	125.00	814.20	200.00	.....	.....	350.00	.....
Thomas.....	82.35	162.00	.....	430.00	.....	.....	20.25	550.00	.....
Trego.....	70.00	74.45	.....	385.50	.....	.....	.....	550.00	.....
Wallace.....	225.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300.00	.....
Washington.....	202.05	289.20	195.50	512.00	235.00	80.00	30.00	700.00	.....
Woodson.....	20.65	33.50	.....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	550.00	530.00
Totals.....	\$4,544.65	\$7,162.42	\$1,844.51	\$10,671.21	\$2,769.55	\$2,472.30	\$1,774.50	\$20,900.00	\$2,974.39

† See column 20. \* Handled by county commissioners—no record in office.

## Summary of the Work of District Courts

### FIRST DISTRICT

HON. J. H. WENDORFF, of Leavenworth, Judge  
MINNIE COURTNEY, Clerk

One county: Leavenworth. Area, 440 square miles; population, 35,129; assessed value, \$32,344,451.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 155 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 58 were dismissed before trial on the merits and 97 were tried to the court. In 103 cases no answers were filed. In 36 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 11 cases from 30 to 60 days, in 3 from 60 days to 6 months and in 2 after 6 months. There were 55 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 13 from 3 to 6 months, 6 from 6 to 12 months, and 23 after 1 year. In 96 cases journal entries were filed day of trial, in 1 not the same day but within 10 days, in 1 after 30 days, and in 57 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$2,332.24 were reported in 155 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.75, a maximum of \$217.90 and an average of \$15.05. There were 124 civil actions, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 47 had been pending less than 3 months, 31 from 3 to 6 months, and 46 from 6 to 12 months.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 97 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 16 were dismissed before trial. In 57 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, and in 24 cases to husbands. The custody of 36 minor children was awarded to wives and 3 to husbands. There were 7 cases tried 60 days after the petitions were filed, 68 from 60 days to 6 months, and 6 after 6 months. The grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 58 cases; extreme cruelty, 6 cases; abandonment, 16 cases, and miscellaneous, 1 case. Court costs amounting to \$727.10 were reported in 97 cases, showing a minimum of \$5.10, maximum of \$22.20 and an average of \$7.19. There were 136 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 65 had been pending less than 3 months, 28 from 3 to 6 months, and 43 from 6 months to 1 year.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 113 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 88 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 15 cases defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 10 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 8 verdicts of guilty and 2 verdicts of not guilty. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 4 cases, within 30 days in 2 cases, within 30 days to 3 months in 3 cases, and after 1 year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 95 cases. There were 7 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,280.90 were reported in 113 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.75, a maximum of \$69.60, and an average of \$11.34. There were 27 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 8 had been pending less than 3 months, 4 from 3 to 6 months and 15 from 6 months to 1 year. The date information was filed was not reported in 21 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 153 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 4 were

withdrawn or not presented and 55 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 66 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 13 from 10 to 30 days and 15 after 30 days. There were 77 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 14 not the same day but within 10 days, and 3 within 10 to 30 days. Of the 94 ruled upon 82 were allowed and 12 denied.

MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A. In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 16 motions reported. Of this number 16 were presented after 30 days. Ten motions were decided on the day presented, 4 within 10 days, 1 within 10 to 30 days and 1 after 30 days. Of the 16 ruled upon 14 were allowed and 2 were denied.

## SECOND DISTRICT

HON. LAWRENCE F. DAY, of Atchison, Judge  
HAL WAINNER, Clerk

One county: Atchison. Area, 412 square miles; population, 22,364; assessed value, \$32,018,647.

CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2. There were 111 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 29 were dismissed before trial on the merits; 79 were tried to the court and 3 to the jury. In 76 cases no answers were filed. In 16 cases answers were filed within 30 days after petitions were filed, in 10 cases 30 to 60 days, in 4 cases from 60 days to 6 months, and 5 after 6 months. There were 58 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 9 from 3 to 6 months, 9 from 6 to 12 months, and 6 after 1 year. In 99 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial. In 12 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$2,095.83 were reported in 111 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.60, a maximum of \$112.50 and an average of \$18.88. There were 134 civil actions, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 32 had been pending less than 3 months, 9 from 3 to 6 months, 10 from 6 to 12 months, 22 from 1 to 2 years, 23 from 2 to 3 years, 16 from 3 to 4 years, 7 from 4 to 5 years, and 15 over 5 years.

DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4. There were 51 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 11 were dismissed before trial. In 31 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, and in 9 cases to the husbands. Four cases were contested. The custody of 18 minor children was awarded to wives and 2 to husbands. There were 31 cases tried from 60 days to 6 months after petitions were filed and 9 cases after 6 months. The grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 30 cases; extreme cruelty, 3 cases, and abandonment, 7 cases. Court costs amounting to \$517.32 were reported in 51 cases, showing a minimum of \$4.50, a maximum of \$76.55, and an average of \$10.04. There were 101 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 10 had been pending less than 3 months, 3 from 3 to 6 months, 19 from 6 months to 1 year, 22 from 1 to 2 years, 15 from 2 to 3 years, 15 from 3 to 4 years, 7 from 4 to 5 years and 10 over 5 years.

CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6. There were 28 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 12 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 14 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 2 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 2 verdicts of guilty. Trial was had within 10 days to 30 days in 1 case after the information was filed, within 3

months to 6 months in one case. The date information was filed was not reported in 10 cases. There were 4 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$464 were reported in 27 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.30, a maximum of \$149.60, and an average of \$17.18. There were 14 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 5 had been pending less than 3 months, 3 from 3 to 6 months, 2 from 6 months to 1 year, 3 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 2 to 3 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 8 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 238 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 28 were withdrawn or not presented and 17 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 121 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 44 from 10 to 30 days, and 28 after 30 days. There were 192 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 1 not the same day but within 10 days. Of the 193 ruled upon, 151 were allowed, 39 denied and 3 allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1938—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1938, there were 10 motions reported. Of this number 1 was withdrawn. Six motions were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 1 within 10 to 30 days and 2 after 30 days. Nine motions were decided on the day presented. Of the 9 motions ruled upon, 9 were allowed.

### THIRD DISTRICT

HON. GEO. A. KLINE, of Topeka, Judge, First Division  
HON. PAUL HEINZ, of Topeka, Judge, Second Division  
HON. OTIS E. HUNGATE, of Topeka, Judge, Third Division  
MRS. LEAH B. WILL CUTS, Clerk

One county: Shawnee. Area, 544 square miles; population, 93,913; assessed value, \$118,468,992.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 616 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 199 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 377 were tried to the court and 40 to the jury. In 404 cases no answers were filed. In 81 cases answers were filed within 30 days after petitions were filed, in 44 from 30 to 60 days, in 60 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 27 after 6 months. There were 289 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 74 from 3 to 6 months, 48 from 6 to 12 months and 6 after 12 months. In 585 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 28 not the same day but within 10 days, in 1 within 10 to 30 days, 1 after 30 days, and in 1 case no journal entry had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$12,035.63 were reported in 616 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.40, a maximum of \$914.07, and an average of \$19.54. There were 170 civil actions, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 93 had been pending less than 3 months, 33 from 3 to 6 months, 17 from 6 to 12 months, 16 from 1 to 2 years, 4 from 2 to 3 years, 3 from 3 to 4 years, 1 from 4 to 5 years, and 3 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 563 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 210 were dismissed before trial. In 268 cases divorces were granted to the wives, in 82 cases to the husbands, and 3 were denied. Sixty-one cases were



contested. The custody of 170 minor children was awarded to the wives, 33 to husbands, and 8 to others. There were 42 cases tried 60 days after petitions were filed, 293 from 60 days to 6 months, and 18 after 6 months. The grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 231 cases; extreme cruelty, 66 cases; abandonment, 47 cases; habitual drunkenness, 1 case; convicted of a felony, 4 cases, and miscellaneous, 1 case. Court costs amounting to \$10,644.13 were reported in 563 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.50, a maximum of \$156.50, and an average of \$18.90. There were 112 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 92 had been pending less than 3 months, 16 from 3 to 6 months, 2 from 6 months to 1 year, 1 from 1 to 2 years, and 1 from 2 to 3 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 287 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 103 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 163 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 21 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 9 verdicts of guilty, 5 verdicts of not guilty, 3 hung juries, 3 cases dismissed after commencement of trial, and 1 plea of guilty after a jury was impaneled and sworn. Trial was had within 10 to 30 days after the information was filed in 2 cases, within 30 days to 3 months in 12 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 6 cases, and from 6 months to 1 year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 28 cases. There were 82 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$6,308.67 were reported in 287 cases, showing a minimum of \$4.35, a maximum of \$355.10, and an average of \$21.98. There were 95 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 36 had been pending less than 3 months, 8 from 3 to 6 months, 11 from 6 months to 1 year, 19 from 1 to 2 years, 13 from 2 to 3 years, 4 from 3 to 4 years, 2 from 4 to 5 years, and 2 over 5 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 13 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 1,596 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 128 were withdrawn or not presented, and 49 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 1,350 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 41 from 10 to 30 days, and 28 after 30 days. (In addition to these, there were 1,911 orders made upon allegations of pleadings or oral motions other than those made during the course of trial.) There were 770 motions or demurrers decided on the day presented, 260 not the same day but within 10 days, 207 from 10 to 30 days, and 182 after 30 days. Of the 1,419 ruled upon, 1,188 were allowed, 215 denied, and 16 allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 192 motions reported. Of this number 31 were withdrawn or not presented, 75 cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 49 within 10 to 30 days and 37 after 30 days. One hundred and thirty-four motions were decided on the day presented, 9 within 10 days, 6 within 10 to 30 days, and 12 after 30 days. Of the 161 ruled upon, 109 were allowed, 51 denied, and 1 allowed in part and denied in part.

## FOURTH DISTRICT

HON. HUGH MEANS, of Lawrence, Judge  
ERMA MILLER, Clerk, Anderson County  
JOHN CALLAHAN, Clerk, Douglas County  
ANN M. SHIRAS, Clerk, Franklin County

Three counties: Anderson, Douglas and Franklin. Area, 1,540 square miles; population, 59,262; assessed value, \$89,319,873.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 283 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 60 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 201 were tried to the court, and 22 to the jury. In 204 cases no answers were filed. In 36 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 17 from 30 to 60 days, in 22 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 4 after 6 months. There were 152 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 41 from 3 to 6 months, 24 from 6 to 12 months and 6 after 1 year. In 200 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 19 not the same day but within 10 days, 12 from 10 to 30 days, 17 after 30 days and in 35 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$8,539.54 were reported in 282 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.25, a maximum of \$484.56 and an average of \$30.28. There were 152 civil actions, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 65 had been pending less than 3 months, 24 from 3 to 6 months, 37 from 6 to 12 months, 12 from 1 to 2 years, 4 from 2 to 3 years, 5 from 3 to 4 years, 2 from 4 to 5 years and 3 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 139 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 34 were dismissed before trial. In 83 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 22 cases to husbands. Seventeen cases were contested. The custody of 76 minor children was awarded to the wives, 13 to the husbands. There were 3 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 92 from 60 days to 6 months, and 10 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 64; extreme cruelty, 11; abandonment, 24; habitual drunkenness, 1; convicted of a felony, 4, and miscellaneous, 1. Court costs amounting to \$1,251.07 were reported in 139 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.20, a maximum of \$60.10, and an average of \$9. There were 74 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 30 had been pending less than 3 months, 20 from 3 to 6 months, 10 from 6 months to 1 year, 5 from 1 to 2 years, 3 from 2 to 3 years, 4 from 3 to 4 years, 2 from 4 to 5 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 47 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 12 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 24 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 11 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 7 verdicts of guilty, 3 verdicts of not guilty, and 1 hung jury. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 6 cases, in 10 to 30 days in 2 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 2 cases, in 6 months to 1 year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 8 cases. There was 1 parole granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,262.84 were reported in 47 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.65, a maximum of \$173.60, and an average of \$26.87. There were 10 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 3 had been pending less than 3 months, 3 from 3 to 6 months, 2 from 6 months to 1 year, 2 from 1 to 2 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 5 cases.

MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 AND 6. In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 243 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 13 were withdrawn or not presented, and 22 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 106 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 54 from 10 to 30 days, and 48 after 30 days. There were 175 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 7 not the same day but within 10 days, 12 from 10 to 30 days, and 14 after 30 days. Of the 208 ruled upon 148 were allowed, 57 denied and 3 were allowed in part and denied in part.

MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A. In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 23 motions reported. Of this number none were withdrawn or not presented. Fifteen cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 2 within 10 to 30 days, and 6 after 30 days. Twenty-two motions were decided on the day presented, 1 within 10 days. Of the 23 ruled upon 20 were allowed and 3 denied.

#### FIFTH DISTRICT

HON. JOE ROLSTON, JR., of Burlington, Judge  
CLINTON W. SCOTT, Clerk, Chase County  
JOHN MEEK, JR., Clerk, Coffey County  
MAUDE EVANS, Clerk, Lyon County

Three counties: Chase, Coffey and Lyon. Area, 2,240 square miles; population, 44,134; assessed value, \$81,523,879.

CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2. There were 263 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 52 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 206 were tried to the court, and 5 to the jury. In 184 cases no answers were filed. In 40 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 21 cases from 30 to 60 days, in 16 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 2 after 6 months. There were 156 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 37 from 3 to 6 months, 11 from 6 to 12 months and 7 after 1 year. In 200 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 5 not the same day but within 10 days, 1 from 10 to 30 days, 4 after 30 days, and in 53 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$6,323.95 were reported in 258 cases, showing a minimum of \$1.55, a maximum of \$173.20 and an average of \$24.51. There were 129 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 56 had been pending less than 3 months, 19 from 3 to 6 months, 22 from 6 to 12 months, 17 from 1 to 2 years, 8 from 2 to 3 years, 7 from 3 to 4 years.

DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4. There were 92 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 11 were dismissed before trial. In 55 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 24 cases to husbands, and 2 were denied. Seven cases were contested. The custody of 64 minor children was awarded to the wives, 24 to the husbands. There were 5 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 67 from 60 days to 6 months, and 9 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 6; extreme cruelty, 47; abandonment, 23; miscellaneous, 3. Court costs amounting to \$875.86 were reported in 146 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.90, a maximum of \$112.15, and an average of \$6. There were 54 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 21 had been pending less than

3 months, 6 from 3 to 6 months, 14 from 6 months to 1 year, 8 from 1 to 2 years, 2 from 2 to 3 years, 3 from 3 to 4 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 47 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 7 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 35 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 5 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 4 verdicts of guilty, and 1 verdict of not guilty. Trial was had within 10 days in 4 cases, within 3 to 6 months in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 7 cases. There were 14 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,136.36 were reported in 46 cases, showing a minimum of \$2, a maximum of \$347.52 and an average of \$24.92. There were 5 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 3 had been pending less than 3 months, 1 from 3 to 6 months, and 1 from 6 months to 1 year. The date information was filed was not recorded in 1 case.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 202 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 35 were withdrawn or not presented and 39 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 116 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 3 from 10 to 30 days and 9 after 30 days. There were 121 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 4 not the same day but within 10 days, and 3 after 30 days. Of the 128 ruled upon, 116 were allowed, 12 denied.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 29 motions reported. Of this number 3 were withdrawn or not presented. Thirteen cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 3 within 10 to 30 days and 10 after 30 days. Twenty-five motions were decided on the day presented and one after 30 days. Of the 26 ruled upon, 22 were allowed and 4 denied.

#### SIXTH DISTRICT

HON. W. F. JACKSON, of Fort Scott, Judge  
GEO. T. FARMER, Clerk, Bourbon County  
C. B. PLATT, Clerk, Linn County

Two counties: Bourbon and Linn. Area, 1,269 square miles; population, 32,489; assessed value, \$38,201,589.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 212 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 51 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 156 were tried to the court, and 5 to the jury. In 157 cases no answers were filed. In 22 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 11 from 30 to 60 days, in 18 from 60 days to 6 months and in 4 after 6 months. There were 102 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 27 from 3 to 6 months, 22 from 6 to 12 months and 10 after 1 year. In 180 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 1 not the same day but within 10 days, 4 from 10 to 30 days, 2 after 30 days, and in 25 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$4,783.69 were reported in 212 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.65, a maximum of \$203, and an average of \$21.62. There were 215 civil actions, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 40 had been pending less than 3 months, 22 from 3 to 6 months, 24 from 6

months to 1 year, 31 from 1 to 2 years, 34 from 2 to 3 years, 18 from 3 to 4 years, 5 from 4 to 5 years and 41 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 59 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 8 were dismissed before trial. In 36 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 8 cases to husbands, and 7 were denied. Eight were contested. The custody of 40 minor children was awarded to the wives, 3 to the husbands. There were 4 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 41 from 60 days to 6 months, and 6 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 24; extreme cruelty, 6; abandonment, 14. Court costs amounting to \$580.24 were reported in 59 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.40, a maximum of \$50 and an average of \$9.83. There were 79 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 18 had been pending less than 3 months, 7 from 3 to 6 months, 14 from 6 months to 1 year, 18 from 1 to 2 years, 14 from 2 to 3 years and 8 from 3 to 4 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 36 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 6 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 23 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 7 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 6 verdicts of guilty and 1 hung jury. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 1 case, in 10 to 30 days in 1 case, in 3 to 6 months in 3 cases, in 6 months to 1 year in 2 cases. The date information was filed was not reported in 3 cases. There were 10 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,127.45 were reported in 36 cases, showing a minimum of \$5, a maximum of \$120 and an average of \$31.32. There were 41 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 5 had been pending less than 3 months, 1 from 3 to 6 months, 8 from 6 months to 1 year, 13 from 1 to 2 years, 13 from 2 to 3 years and 1 from 3 to 4 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 13 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 116 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 9 were withdrawn or not presented and 27 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 53 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 6 from 10 to 30 days and 21 after 30 days. There were 75 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 2 not the same day but within 10 days, 2 from 10 to 30 days and 1 after 30 days. Of the 80 ruled upon 62 were allowed, 18 were denied.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1938—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 3 motions reported. One case was presented within 10 days after it was filed, and 2 after 30 days. Two motions were decided on the day presented and 1 motion 30 days after. Of the 3 ruled upon 2 were allowed and 1 allowed in part and denied in part.

## SEVENTH DISTRICT

HON. J. T. COOPER, of Fredonia, Judge  
MARGARET WHITWORTH, Clerk, Neosho County  
LESLIE V. YORK, Clerk, Wilson County

Two counties: Neosho and Wilson. Area, 1,161 square miles; population, 41,126; assessed value, \$49,523,564.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 179 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 31 were dismissed before trial on the merits. One hundred and forty-eight were tried to the court. In 113 cases no answers were filed. In 24 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 23 from 30 to 60 days, in 16 from 60 days to 6 months and in 3 after 6 months. There were 104 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 32 from 3 to 6 months, 10 from 6 to 12 months, and 2 after 1 year. In 103 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 15 not the same day but within 10 days, 1 from 10 to 30 days, 2 after 30 days, and in 58 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$9,724.83 were reported in 179 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.45, a maximum of \$1,700 and an average of \$54.33. There were 116 civil actions, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 37 had been pending less than 3 months, 21 from 3 to 6 months, 25 from 6 months to 1 year, 22 from 1 to 2 years, 5 from 2 to 3 years and 6 over five years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 119 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 33 were dismissed before trial. In 58 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 28 cases to husbands. Fifteen cases were contested. The custody of 45 minor children was awarded to the wives, 7 to the husbands. There were 7 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 68 from 60 days to 6 months, and 11 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 27; extreme cruelty, 35; abandonment, 22; adultery, 1; nonsupport, 1. Court costs amounting to \$1,230.58 were reported in 119 cases, showing a minimum of \$3, a maximum of \$58.20, and an average of \$10.34. There were 82 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 31 had been pending less than 3 months, 10 from 3 to 6 months, 10 from 6 months to 1 year, 16 from 1 to 2 years, 3 from 2 to 3 years, 2 from 3 to 4 years, 2 from 4 to 5 years and 8 over 5 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 61 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 15 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 44 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 2 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 1 verdict of guilty, and 1 verdict of not guilty. Trial was had in 30 days to 3 months after the information was filed in 1 case, in 3 to 6 months in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 11 cases. There were 14 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,114.78 were reported in 61 cases, showing a minimum of 75 cents, a maximum of \$174.35 and an average of \$18.28. There were 25 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 7 had been pending less than 3 months, 5 from 3 to 6 months, 8 from 6 months to 1 year and 5 from 1 to 2 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 16 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 153 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 16 were withdrawn or not presented and 31 were still pending, July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 75 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 16 from 10 to 30 days, and 15 after 30 days. There were 102 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 3 not the same day, but within 10 days, 1 from 10 to 30 days. Of the 106 ruled upon, 76 were allowed, 27 denied and 3 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 18 motions reported. Of this number 2 were withdrawn or not presented. Twelve cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 4 within 10 to 30 days. Sixteen motions were decided on the day presented. Of the 16 ruled upon, 11 were allowed, 5 denied.

#### EIGHTH DISTRICT

HON. C. M. CLARK, of Peabody, Judge  
SETH BARTER, JR., Clerk, Dickinson County  
GEO. J. WEBSTER, Clerk, Geary County  
PETER P. FLAMING, Clerk, Marion County  
J. A. BRUTON, Clerk, Morris County

Four counties: Dickinson, Geary, Marion and Morris. Area, 2,895 square miles; population, 67,534; assessed value, \$115,056.089.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 352 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 61 were dismissed before trial on the merits. Two hundred and eighty-six were tried to the court and 5 to the jury. In 262 cases no answers were filed. In 29 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 20 from 30 to 60 days, in 38 from 60 days to 6 months and in 3 after 6 months. There were 220 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 41 from 3 to 6 months, 24 from 6 to 12 months and 6 after 1 year. In 280 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 15 not the same day but within 10 days, 11 from 10 to 30 days, 4 after 30 days and in 42 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$14,307.40 were reported in 352 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.10, a maximum of \$458.31 and an average of \$40.65. There were 126 civil actions, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 63 had been pending less than 3 months, 43 from 3 to 6 months, 9 from 6 months to 1 year, 9 from 1 to 2 years, 2 from 2 to 3 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 106 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 31 were dismissed before trial. In 49 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 24 cases to the husbands, and 2 denied. Four cases were contested. The custody of 48 minor children was awarded to the wives, 6 to the husbands and 3 to others. There was 1 case tried within 60 days after the petition was filed, 69 from 60 days to 6 months, and 5 after six months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 19; extreme cruelty, 22; abandonment, 27; adultery, 2; habitual drunkenness, 2, and miscellaneous 1. Court costs amounting to \$874.17 were reported in 106 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.90, a maximum of \$92.80, and an average of \$8.25. There were 29 divorce cases

pending July 1, 1938, of which 21 had been pending less than 3 months, 4 from 3 to 6 months, 2 from 6 months to 1 year, 2 from 1 to 2 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 54 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 10 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 33 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 11 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 4 verdicts of guilty, 6 verdicts of not guilty and 1 hung jury. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 2 cases, in 10 to 30 days in 4 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 4 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 6 cases. There were 9 paroles granted. Court costs, amounting to \$1,834.26, were reported in 53 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.50, a maximum of \$162.05 and an average of \$34.60. There were 6 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 2 had been pending less than 3 months, 2 from 3 to 6 months and 2 from 6 months to 1 year. The date information was filed was not reported in 5 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 214 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 18 were withdrawn or not presented, and 16 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 105 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 57 from 10 to 30 days and 18 after 30 days. There were 180 motions or demurrers decided the day presented. Of the 180 ruled upon 86 were allowed, 87 were denied and 7 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 32 motions reported. Of this number 4 cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 27 within 10 to 30 days, and 1 after 30 days. Thirty-two were decided on the day presented. Of the 32 ruled upon 31 were allowed and 1 denied.

#### NINTH DISTRICT

HON. J. G. SOMERS, of Newton, Judge  
LLOYD L. McMULLEN, Clerk, Harvey County  
DONALD S. CLARK, Clerk, McPherson County  
WALTER MEAD, Clerk, Reno County

Three counties: Harvey, McPherson and Reno. Area, 2,682 square miles; population, 102,273; assessed value, \$195,524,717.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCES)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 603 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 212 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 378 were tried to the court, and 13 to the jury. In 415 cases no answers were filed. In 77 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 52 from 30 to 60 days, in 38 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 21 after 6 months. There were 235 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 68 from 3 to 6 months, 50 from 6 to 12 months and 38 after 1 year. In 333 cases, journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 67, not the same day but within 10 days, 26 from 10 to 30 days, 30 after 30 days, and in 147 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$13,112.28 were reported in 603 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.40, a maximum of \$274.85 and an average of \$21.74. There were 296 civil actions, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 103



had been pending less than 3 months, 61 from 3 to 6 months, 58 from 6 to 12 months, 39 from 1 to 2 years, 15 from 2 to 3 years, 12 from 3 to 4 years and 8 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 351 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 109 were dismissed before trial. In 192 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 50 cases to the husbands. Four cases were contested. The custody of 143 minor children was awarded to the wives and 7 to the husbands. There were 27 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 190 from 60 days to 6 months and 25 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 107; extreme cruelty, 64; abandonment, 61; habitual drunkenness, 3; convicted of a felony, 7. Court costs amounting to \$7,078.09 were reported in 351 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.15, a maximum of \$269.60, and an average of \$20.16. There were 184 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 71 had been pending less than 3 months, 29 from 3 to 6 months, 50 from 6 months to 1 year, 31 from 1 to 2 years and 3 from 2 to 3 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 238 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 78 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 139 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 21 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 15 verdicts of guilty, 5 verdicts of not guilty and 1 hung jury. Trial was had within 10 to 30 days after the information was filed in 2 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 7 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 5 cases, in 6 months to 1 year in 6 cases and in 1 case after 1 year. The date information was filed was not reported in 41 cases. There were 68 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$10,105.52 were reported in 238 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.90, a maximum of \$10.42 and an average of \$42.80. There were 50 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 36 had been pending less than 3 months, 6 from 3 to 6 months, 4 from 6 months to 1 year, 4 from 1 to 2 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 29 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 483 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 9 were withdrawn or not presented and 53 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 295 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 54 from 10 to 30 days and 72 after 30 days. There were 418 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 1 not the same day but within 10 days, and 2 after 30 days. Of the 421 ruled upon, 318 were allowed, 79 denied, and 24 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 148 motions reported. Of this number 4 were withdrawn or not presented. One hundred were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 19 within 10 to 30 days, 25 after 30 days. One hundred and forty-three were decided on the day presented and 1 after 30 days. Of the 144 ruled upon, 133 were allowed, 10 denied and 1 allowed in part and denied in part.

## TENTH DISTRICT

HON. G. A. ROBERTS, of Olathe, Judge  
VIOLET J. PARIS, Clerk, Johnson County  
HUGH W. CAMPBELL, Clerk, Miami County

Two counties: Johnson and Miami. Area, 1,088 square miles; population, 46,410; assessed value, \$68,412,264.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 314 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 79 were dismissed before trial on the merits. Two hundred and seventeen were tried to the court and 18 to the jury. In 206 cases no answers were filed. In 49 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 31 from 30 to 60 days, in 23 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 5 after 6 months. There were 168 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 39 from 3 to 6 months, 13 from 6 to 12 months and 15 after 1 year. In 255 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 27 not the same day but within 10 days, 21 from 10 to 30 days, 6 after 30 days, and in 5 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$10,623.84 were reported in 314 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.20, a maximum of \$263.13 and an average of \$33.83. There were 169 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 73 had been pending less than 3 months, 28 from 3 to 6 months, 24 from 6 to 12 months, 21 from 1 to 2 years, 13 from 2 to 3 years, 5 from 3 to 4 years, 4 from 4 to 5 years and 1 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 150 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 38 were dismissed before trial. In 78 cases the divorces were granted to wives, in 33 cases to husbands and 1 denied. Three cases were contested. The custody of 54 minor children was awarded to the wives, 18 to the husbands. There were 3 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 99 from 60 days to 6 months and 10 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 60; extreme cruelty, 23; abandonment, 25; habitual drunkenness, 1; convicted of a felony, 2. Court costs amounting to \$2,570.51 were reported in 150 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.10, a maximum of \$128.20 and an average of \$17.14. There were 50 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 28 had been pending less than 3 months, 6 from 3 to 6 months, 9 from 6 months to 1 year, 4 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 2 to 3 years, 1 from 3 to 4 years, 1 from 4 to 5 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 68 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 19 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 39 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 10 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 6 verdicts of guilty, 3 verdicts of not guilty and 1 hung jury. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 2 cases, in 10 to 30 days in 4 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 3 cases, in 6 months to 1 year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 5 cases. There were 4 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,940.87 were reported in 68 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.25, a maximum of \$212.40 and an average of \$28.54. There were 29 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 20 had been pending less than 3 months, 3 from 3 to 6 months, 1 from 6 months to 1 year, 2 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from

2 to 3 years, 2 from 3 to 4 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 15 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 323 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 19 were withdrawn or not presented and 44 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 149 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 64 from 10 to 30 days and 47 after 30 days. There were 246 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 4 not the same day but within 10 days, 7 from 10 to 30 days and 3 after 30 days. Of the 260 ruled upon, 214 were allowed, 45 were denied and 1 allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 66 motions reported. Of this number 43 cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 11 within 10 to 30 days, and 12 after 30 days. Sixty motions were decided on the day presented, 1 within 10 days, 3 within 10 to 30 days and 2 after 30 days. Of the 66 motions ruled upon, 60 were allowed, and 6 denied.

#### ELEVENTH DISTRICT

HON. V. J. BOWERSOCK, of Columbus, Judge  
EARNEST MILTON, Clerk

One county: Cherokee. Area, 602 square miles; population, 30,852; assessed value, \$23,898,195.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 109 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 44 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 63 were tried to the court and 2 to the jury. In 102 cases no answers were filed. In 3 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 3 from 30 to 60 days, in 1 from 60 days to 6 months. There were 43 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 11 from 3 to 6 months, 4 from 6 to 12 months, and 7 after 1 year. In 54 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 4 not the same day but within 10 days, 7 from 10 to 30 days, 11 after 30 days, and in 33 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$4,626.70 were reported in 109 cases, showing a minimum of \$4.35, a maximum of \$284.75 and an average of \$43.18. There were 141 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 25 had been pending less than 3 months, 20 from 3 to 6 months, 31 from 6 to 12 months, 22 from 1 to 2 years, 14 from 2 to 3 years, 3 from 3 to 4 years, 5 from 4 to 5 years and 21 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 119 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 27 were dismissed before trial. In 77 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 14 to the husbands, and 1 denied. Six cases were contested. The custody of 45 minor children was awarded to the wives and 6 to the husbands. There were 9 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 69 from 60 days to 6 months and 14 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 24; extreme cruelty, 38; abandonment, 22; adultery, 2; habitual drunkenness, 3; and miscellaneous, 1. Court costs amounting to \$1,513.03 were reported in 119 cases, showing a minimum of \$4.20, a maximum of \$58.70

and an average of \$12.71. There were 76 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 21 had been pending less than 3 months, 8 from 3 to 6 months, 18 from 6 months to 1 year, 20 from 1 to 2 years, 16 from 2 to 3 years, 9 from 3 to 4 years, 2 from 4 to 5 years and 4 over 5 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 21 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 6 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 12 cases defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 3 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 2 verdicts of guilty and 1 verdict of not guilty. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 1 case, in 10 to 30 days in 2 cases. The date information was filed was not reported in 6 cases. There were 2 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$703.85 were reported in 21 cases, showing a minimum of \$10.95, a maximum of \$65.55, and an average of \$33.52. There were 18 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 6 had been pending less than 3 months, 2 from 3 to 6 months, 3 from 6 months to 1 year, 2 from 1 to 2 years, 2 from 2 to 3 years and 3 from 3 to 4 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 6 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 179 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 13 were withdrawn or not presented and 18 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 109 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 21 from 10 to 30 days, and 18 after 30 days. There were 146 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, and 2 after 30 days. Of the 148 ruled upon, 115 were allowed, 28 denied and 5 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 6 motions reported. Of this number 6 were withdrawn or not presented.

## TWELFTH DISTRICT

HON. THOS. KENNETT, of Concordia, Judge  
LAWRENCE JOHNSTON, Clerk, Cloud County  
WM. R. GOODWIN, Clerk, Republic County  
MRS. ALTA HENNON, Clerk, Washington County

Three counties: Cloud, Republic and Washington. Area, 2,308 square miles; population, 48,212; assessed value, \$88,964,323.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 227 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 49 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 169 were tried to the court and 9 to the jury. In 175 cases no answers were filed. In 25 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 14 from 30 to 60 days, in 10 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 3 cases after 6 months. There were 130 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 29 from 3 to 6 months, 12 from 6 to 12 months and 7 after 1 year. In 128 cases journal entries were filed day of trial, in 28 not the same day but within 10 days, 21 from 10 to 30 days, 32 after 30 days, and in 18 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$10,701.56 were reported in 227 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.40, a maximum of \$436.10, and an average of \$47.14. There were 82

civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 44 had been pending less than 3 months, 12 from 3 to 6 months, 16 from 6 months to 1 year, 8 from 1 to 2 years, and 2 from 2 to 3 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 59 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 19 were dismissed before trial. In 29 cases the divorces were granted to wives and in 10 cases to husbands, and 1 was denied. Five cases were contested. The custody of 27 minor children was awarded to wives and 9 to husbands. There was 1 case tried within 60 days after petition was filed, 33 from 60 days to 6 months and 6 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 6 cases; extreme cruelty, 18 cases; abandonment, 13 cases; and habitual drunkenness, 2 cases. Court costs amounting to \$525.48 were reported in 59 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.70, a maximum of \$32.05 and an average of \$8.90. There were 23 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 16 had been pending less than 3 months, 2 from 3 to 6 months, 4 from 6 months to 1 year, and 1 from 1 to 2 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 48 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 12 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 30 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 6 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 3 verdicts of guilty, 2 verdicts of not guilty and in 1 case there was a hung jury. Trial was had within 10 to 30 days in 2 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 2 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 1 case and from 3 months to 1 year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 5 cases. There were 10 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,543.47 were reported in 47 cases, showing a minimum of \$4.10, maximum of \$420.20 and an average of \$32.83. There were 7 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 4 had been pending less than 3 months, 2 from 3 to 6 months and 1 from 1 to 2 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 5 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 383 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 38 were withdrawn or not presented and 13 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 246 were presented within 10 days, 53 from 10 to 30 days, and 33 after 30 days. There were 322 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 8 not the same day but within 10 days and 2 from 10 to 30 days. Of the 332 ruled upon, 284 were allowed, 40 denied, and 8 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 17 motions reported. Of this number 10 cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 2 within 10 to 30 days, and 5 after 30 days. Thirteen motions were decided on the day presented, 3 within 10 days, and 1 from 10 to 30 days. Of the 17 ruled upon, 14 were allowed, 2 were denied and 1 allowed in part and denied in part.

## THIRTEENTH DISTRICT

HON. A. T. AYRES, of Howard, First Division  
HON. GEORGE T. BENSON, of El Dorado, Second Division  
CHARLES G. SMITH, Clerk, Butler County  
J. B. MCNOWN, Clerk, Chautauqua County  
MARY E. JOHNSON, Clerk, Elk County  
WARREN R. WILLIS, Clerk, Greenwood County

Four counties: Butler, Chautauqua, Elk and Greenwood. Area, 3,896 square miles; population, 65,400; assessed value, \$112,828.236.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 337 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 88 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 238 were tried to the court and 11 to the jury. Two cases were transferred to federal court. In 252 cases no answers were filed. In 37 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 24 cases from 30 to 60 days, in 18 cases from 60 days to 6 months, and in 6 cases after 6 months. There were 170 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time petitions were filed, 46 from 3 to 6 months, 26 from 6 to 12 months, and 7 after one year. In 192 cases journal entries were filed day of trial, in 23 cases not the same day but within 10 days, in 9 cases from 10 to 30 days, in 22 cases after 30 days, and in 91 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$9,361.92 were reported in 337 cases, showing a minimum of \$3, a maximum of \$213.10 and an average of \$27.78. There were 245 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 105 had been pending less than 3 months, 56 from 3 to 6 months, 32 from 6 to 12 months, 21 from 1 to 2 years, 10 from 2 to 3 years, 3 from 3 to 4 years, 7 from 4 to 5 years, and 11 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 171 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 62 were dismissed before trial. In 76 cases divorces were granted to the wives and 32 to husbands, and 1 was denied. Eighteen cases were contested. The custody of 57 minor children was awarded to the wives and 11 to the husbands. There were 7 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 87 from 60 days to 6 months and 15 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 35 cases; extreme cruelty, 27 cases; abandonment, 29 cases; nonsupport, 11 cases; habitual drunkenness, 1 case; and miscellaneous, 5 cases. Court costs amounting to \$1,664.97 were reported in 169 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.60, a maximum of \$225.85, and an average of \$9.85. There were 117 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 45 had been pending less than 3 months, 16 from 3 to 6 months, 26 from 6 months to 1 year, 20 from 1 to 2 years, 7 from 2 to 3 years, 1 from 3 to 4 years, and 2 from 4 to 5 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 84 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 25 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 52 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 7 cases tried to the jury resulting in 1 verdict of guilty, 2 verdicts of not guilty and in 4 hung juries. Trial was had within 10 days after information was filed in 1 case, in 30 days to 3 months in 3 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 1 case, and in 6 months to 1 year in 2 cases. The date information was filed was not reported in 23 cases. There were 7 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$2,043.24 were reported in 83 cases, showing a minimum of \$4.45, a maximum of \$333.75 and an average of \$24.62. There were 39 criminal cases

pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 11 had been pending less than 3 months, 3 from 3 to 6 months, 12 from 3 months to 1 year, 6 from 1 to 2 years, 3 from 2 to 3 years, 2 from 3 to 4 years, and 2 over 5 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 17 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 273 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 59 were withdrawn or not presented, and 18 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 145 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 25 from 10 to 30 days and 26 after 30 days. There were 191 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 2 not the same day but within 10 days, 1 from 10 to 30 days and 2 after 30 days. Of the 196 ruled upon, 164 were allowed and 32 denied.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6a.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there was 1 motion reported. This motion was presented within 30 days after it was filed, and was decided on the day presented. The motion was allowed.

#### FOURTEENTH DISTRICT

HON. JOSEPH W. HOLDREN, of Independence, Judge  
CHESTER F. CRITTON, Clerk

One county: Montgomery. Area, 644 square miles; population, 50,624; assessed value, \$49,716,951.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 240 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 61 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 164 were tried to the court, and 14 to the jury, 1 case removed to federal court. In 159 cases no answers were filed. In 20 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 25 from 30 to 60 days, in 19 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 17 after 6 months. There were 86 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 38 from 3 to 6 months, 40 from 6 to 12 months and 14 after 1 year. In 172 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 21 not the same day but within 10 days, 15 from 10 to 30 days, 12 after 30 days, and in 20 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$18,008.69 were reported in 240 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.80, a maximum of \$6,457.51 and an average of \$75.04. There were 73 civil actions, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 17 had been pending less than 3 months, 18 from 3 to 6 months, 10 from 6 to 12 months, 20 from 1 to 2 years, 5 from 2 to 3 years and 3 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 189 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 57 were dismissed before trial. In 111 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, and in 21 cases to the husbands. Fifteen cases were contested. The custody of 70 minor children was awarded to the wives and 4 to the husbands. There were 10 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 104 from 60 days to 6 months and 18 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 27; extreme cruelty, 63; abandonment 25; adultery, 2; non-support, 4; habitual drunkenness, 3; convicted of a felony, 2; miscellaneous, 6.

Court costs amounting to \$1,702.51 were reported in 189 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.70, a maximum of \$68.50, and an average of \$9.01. There were 78 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 48 had been pending less than 3 months, 10 from 3 to 6 months, 8 from 6 months to 1 year, 8 from 1 to 2 years, 3 from 2 to 3 years and 1 from 3 to 4 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 114 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 33 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 62 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 19 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 11 verdicts of guilty, 5 verdicts of not guilty and 3 hung juries. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 8 cases, in 10 to 30 days in 6 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 3 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 1 case, in 6 months to 1 year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 15 cases. There were 13 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$2,814.65 were reported in 114 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.50, a maximum of \$180 and an average of \$24.69. There were 11 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 6 had been pending less than 3 months, and 5 from 6 months to 1 year. The date information was filed was not reported in 2 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 210 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 19 were withdrawn or not presented, and 26 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 117 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 30 from 10 to 30 days and 18 after 30 days. There were 162 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 3 not the same day but from 10 to 30 days. Of the 165 motions ruled upon, 116 were allowed, 49 denied.

#### FIFTEENTH DISTRICT

HON. W. R. MITCHELL, of Smith Center, Judge  
BERNICE HOWARD, Clerk, Jewell County  
HERBERT SHAFFER, Clerk, Mitchell County  
ALVA ANDERSON, Clerk, Osborne County  
RONALD McCCLAIN, Clerk, Smith County

Four counties: Jewell, Mitchell, Osborne and Smith. Area, 3,395 square miles; population, 43,557; assessed value, \$83,063,672.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 311 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 50 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 253 were tried to the court, and 8 to the jury. In 223 cases no answers were filed. In 41 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 25 from 30 to 60 days, in 19 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 3 after 6 months. There were 150 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 81 from 3 to 6 months, 27 from 6 to 12 months and 3 after 1 year. In 164 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 21 not the same day but within 10 days, 9 from 10 to 30 days, 29 after 30 days and in 88 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$13,053.82 were reported in 311 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.80, a maximum of \$1,160.20 and an average of \$41.97. There were 127 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 63 had been pending less than 3 months, 20 from 3 to 6 months, 25 from 6 to 12 months, 15 from 1 to 2 years, 2 from 2 to 3 years, 2 from 3 to 4 years.



**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 65 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 10 were dismissed before trial. In 41 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 14 cases to the husbands. Eight cases were contested. The custody of 33 minor children was awarded to the wives, 6 to the husbands. There were 46 cases tried from 60 days to 6 months after the petitions were filed and 9 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 21; extreme cruelty, 22; abandonment, 8; nonsupport, 1; habitual drunkenness, 1; convicted of a felony, 1, and miscellaneous, 1. Court costs amounting to \$746.78 were reported in 61 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.20, a maximum of \$88 and an average of \$12.24. There were 22 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 12 had been pending less than 3 months, 1 from 3 to 6 months, 6 from 6 months to 1 year, 3 from 1 to 2 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 58 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 8 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 44 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 6 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 3 verdicts of guilty, 2 verdicts of not guilty and 1 hung jury. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 1 case, in 10 to 30 days in 2 cases and in 3 to 6 months in 3 cases. The date information was filed was not reported in 15 cases. There were 29 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,620.01 were reported in 67 cases, showing a minimum of \$4.15, a maximum of \$134.60 and an average of \$24.18. There were 12 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 5 had been pending less than 3 months, 1 from 3 to 6 months, 5 from 6 months to 1 year, 1 from 1 to 2 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 1 case.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 290 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 18 were withdrawn or not presented and 19 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 150 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 49 from 10 to 30 days and 54 after 30 days. There were 252 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 1 not the same day but within 10 days. Of the 253 ruled upon, 191 were allowed, 52 denied and 10 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 19 motions reported. Of this number 1 was withdrawn or not presented. Twelve cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 1 within 10 to 30 days and 5 after 30 days. Eighteen motions were decided the day presented. Of the 18 ruled upon 17 were allowed, and 1 denied.

#### SIXTEENTH DISTRICT

HON. L. E. GOODRICH, of Parsons, Judge  
FRED WYRICK, Clerk

One county: Labette. Area, 643 square miles; population, 30, 124; assessed value, \$35,566,658.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCES)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 132 actions, other than divorces, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 49 were dismissed before trial on the

merits, 80 were tried to the court, and 3 to the jury. In 92 cases no answers were filed. In 14 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 6 from 30 to 60 days, in 13 from 60 days to 6 months and 7 after 6 months. There were 62 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 8 from 3 to 6 months, 7 from 6 to 12 months and 6 after 1 year. In 84 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 10 not the same day but within 10 days, 7 from 10 to 30 days, 10 after 30 days and in 21 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$3,182.28 were reported in 123 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.50, a maximum of \$320.15 and an average of \$25.88. There were 30 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 12 had been pending less than 3 months, 3 from 3 to 6 months, 7 from 6 to 12 months, 7 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 2 to 3 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 111 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 30 were dismissed before trial. In 65 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 16 cases to the husbands. Eleven cases were contested. The custody of 54 minor children was awarded to the wives, 8 to the husbands. There was 1 case tried within 60 days after the petition was filed, 74 from 60 days to 6 months and 6 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 21; extreme cruelty, 35; abandonment, 17; habitual drunkenness, 2; convicted of a felony, 1, and miscellaneous 5. Court costs amounting to \$1,030.80 were reported in 111 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.65, a maximum of \$24.75 and an average of \$9.29. There were 37 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 26 had been pending less than 3 months, 8 from 3 to 6 months and 3 from 6 months to 1 year.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 38 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 12 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 17 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 9 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 7 verdicts of guilty, 2 verdicts of not guilty. Trial was had within 10 to 30 days after the information was filed in 3 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 3 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 1 case and in 6 months to 1 year in 2 cases. The date information was filed was not reported in 9 cases. There was 1 parole granted. Court costs amounting to \$961.60 were reported in 38 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.80, a maximum of \$132.29 and an average of \$24.78. There were 6 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number, 2 had been pending less than 3 months, 2 from 3 to 6 months and 2 from 6 months to 1 year. The date information was filed was not reported in 2 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 123 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 3 were withdrawn or not presented, and 11 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 64 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 26 from 10 to 30 days and 19 after 30 days. There were 95 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 1 not the same day but within 10 days, 9 from 10 to 30 days and 4 after 30 days. Of the 109 ruled upon, 67 were allowed, 24 denied and 18 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried

on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 3 motions reported. Of this number 3 were presented within 10 days after they were filed. Three motions were decided on the day presented. Of the 3 ruled upon 2 were allowed and 1 denied.

#### SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT

HON. E. E. KITE, of St. Francis, Judge  
MINNIE A. LAWLESS, Clerk, Cheyenne County  
DOROTHY MCGEE, Clerk, Decatur County  
ETHEL BECHTOLDT, Clerk, Norton County  
L. R. HALBERT, Clerk, Phillips County  
ELIZABETH THOMPSON, Clerk, Rawlins County

Five Counties: Cheyenne, Decatur, Norton, Phillips and Rawlins. Area, 4,726 square miles; population, 40,755; assessed value, \$56,295,583.

CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2. There were 264 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 43 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 219 were tried to the court and 2 to the jury. In 202 cases no answers were filed. In 23 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 19 from 30 to 60 days, in 14 from 60 days to 6 months and in 6 after 6 months. There were 176 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 28 from 3 to 6 months, 12 from 6 to 12 months and 5 after 1 year. In 122 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 17 not the same day but within 10 days, 21 from 10 to 30 days, 52 after 30 days and in 52 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$9,989.98 were reported in 265 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.35, a maximum of \$924.04 and an average of \$37.69. There were 108 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 48 had been pending less than 3 months, 21 from 3 to 6 months, 13 from 6 to 12 months, 16 from 1 to 2 years, 4 from 2 to 3 years, 4 from 3 to 4 years, and 2 from 4 to 5 years.

DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4. There were 51 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 7 were dismissed before trial. In 29 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 14 to the husbands, and 1 denied. One case was contested. The custody of 16 minor children was awarded to the wives, 5 to the husbands. There were 2 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 42 from 60 days to 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 14; extreme cruelty, 10; abandonment, 18; adultery, 1. Court costs amounting to \$375.20 were reported in 51 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.55, a maximum of \$16.37 and an average of \$7.36. There were 26 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 14 had been pending less than 3 months, 2 from 3 to 6 months, 6 from 6 months to 1 year, 1 from 1 to 2 years, and 3 from 2 to 3 years.

CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6. There were 26 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 3 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 18 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 3 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 2 verdicts of guilty and 1 hung jury. Trial was had within 30 days to 3 months in 1 case, within 3 to 6 months in 1 case and within 6 months to 1 year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 3 cases. There were 9 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,211.62 were reported in 26 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.50, a maximum of \$545.75 and an average of \$46.56. There

were 27 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 11 had been pending less than 3 months, 10 from 3 to 6 months, 1 from 6 months to 1 year, 2 from 1 to 2 years and 3 from 2 to 3 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 19 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 219 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 10 were withdrawn or not presented, and 11 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 124 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 33 from 10 to 30 days, and 41 after 30 days. There were 197 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 1 not the same day but from 10 to 30 days. Of the 198 ruled upon, 175 were allowed, 19 denied and 4 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 9 motions reported. Of this number 1 was still pending July 1, 1938. Six cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 1 within 10 to 30 days and 1 after 30 days. Seven motions were decided on the day presented and 1 after 30 days. Of the 8 ruled upon 6 were allowed and 2 were allowed in part and denied in part.

#### EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT

HON. ROSS McCORMICK, of Wichita, Judge First Division  
HON. R. L. NESMITH, of Wichita, Judge Second Division  
HON. GROVER PIERPONT, of Wichita, Judge Third Division  
HON. I. N. WILLIAMS, of Wichita, Judge Fourth Division  
A. E. JACQUES, Clerk

One county: Sedgwick. Area, 994 square miles; population, 131,745; assessed value, \$199,372,402.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 1,169 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 351 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 702 were tried to the court and 115 to the jury, 1 case was removed to the federal court. In 777 cases no answers were filed. In 85 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 140 from 30 to 60 days, in 115 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 52 after 6 months. There were 450 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 188 from 3 to 6 months, 102 from 6 to 12 months and 77 after 1 year. In 924 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 100 not the same day but within 10 days, 65 from 10 to 30 days, 46 after 30 days and in 34 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$29,919.12 were reported in 1,169 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.35, a maximum of \$242.25 and an average of \$25.58. There were 646 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 182 had been pending less than 3 months, 136 from 3 to 6 months, 117 from 6 to 12 months, 90 from 1 to 2 years, 51 from 2 to 3 years, 48 from 3 to 4 years, 18 from 4 to 5 years and 4 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 1,058 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 428 were dismissed before trial. In 509 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 120 to the husbands, and 1 denied. Forty-five cases were contested. The custody of 338 minor children was awarded to the wives, 36 to the husbands and 12 to others. There were 81 cases tried within 60 days after

the petitions were filed, 441 from 60 days to 6 months and 108 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 314; extreme cruelty, 230; abandonment, 67; adultery, 2; nonsupport, 3; habitual drunkenness, 4; convicted of a felony, 4, and miscellaneous, 6. Court costs amounting to \$10,979.12 were reported in 1,058 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.30, a maximum of \$243.50 and an average of \$10.38. There were 480 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 236 had been pending less than 3 months, 113 from 3 to 6 months, 85 from 6 months to 1 year, 44 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 2 to 3 years and 1 from 3 to 4 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 509 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 234 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 242 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 33 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 12 verdicts of guilty and 21 verdicts of not guilty. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 2 cases, in 10 to 30 days in 3 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 12 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 9 cases, in 6 months to 1 year in 6 cases and after 1 year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 191 cases. There were 158 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$15,696.14 were reported in 508 cases, showing a minimum of \$5.05, a maximum of \$879.50 and an average of \$30.90. There were 153 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 55 had been pending less than 3 months, 27 from 3 to 6 months, 30 from 6 months to 1 year, 24 from 1 to 2 years, 13 from 2 to 3 years, and 4 from 3 to 4 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 27 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 766 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 99 were withdrawn or not presented, and 54 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 218 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 294 from 10 to 30 days and 101 after 30 days. There were 582 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 20 not the same day but within 10 days, 8 from 10 to 30 days and 3 after 30 days. Of the 613 ruled upon, 391 were allowed, 183 denied and 39 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 375 motions reported. Of this number 15 were withdrawn or not presented, and 22 were still pending July 1, 1938. Two hundred and seventy-three cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 24 within 10 to 30 days and 41 after 30 days. Three hundred and thirty-eight motions were decided on the day presented. Of the 338 ruled upon 320 were allowed, 18 denied.

#### NINETEENTH DISTRICT

HON. STEWART F. BLOSS, of Winfield, Judge  
MRS. MARIE SNYDER, Clerk

One county: Cowley. Area, 1,133 square miles; population, 36,391; assessed value, \$60,673,023.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 223 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 69 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 144 were tried to the court and 10 to the jury. In 166 cases no answers

were filed. In 16 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 13 from 30 to 60 days, in 21 from 60 days to 6 months and in 7 after 6 months. There were 105 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 19 from 3 to 6 months, 15 from 6 to 12 months and 15 after 1 year. In 152 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 22 not the same day but within 10 days, 3 from 10 to 30 days, 3 after 30 days, and in 43 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$5,675.07 were reported in 222 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.70, a maximum of \$542.40 and an average of \$25.56. There were 130 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 31 had been pending less than 3 months, 29 from 3 to 6 months, 28 from 6 months to 1 year, 22 from 1 to 2 years, 12 from 2 to 3 years, 3 from 3 to 4 years, 2 from 4 to 5 years and 3 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 182 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 40 were dismissed before trial. In 111 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 31 cases to the husbands. The custody of 93 minor children was awarded to the wives, 8 to the husbands and 1 to grandparents. There were 7 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 125 from 60 days to 6 months and 10 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 62 cases; extreme cruelty, 53 cases; abandonment, 23 cases; and convicted of a felony, 4 cases. Court costs amounting to \$1,643.52 were reported in 182 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.10, a maximum of \$54.35 and an average of \$9.03. There were 58 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 36 had been pending less than 3 months, 13 from 3 to 6 months, 9 from 6 months to 1 year.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 58 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 17 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 32 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 9 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 5 verdicts of guilty and 4 verdicts of not guilty. Trial was had within 10 to 30 days in 1 case, within 30 days to 3 months in 5 cases, within 3 to 6 months in 2 cases and in 6 months to 1 year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 16 cases. There were 9 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$2,554.64 were reported in 58 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.95, a maximum of \$355.25 and an average of \$44.05. There were 23 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number, 21 had been pending less than 3 months, 1 from 6 months to 1 year and 1 from 2 to 3 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 22 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 168 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 6 were withdrawn or not presented and 21 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 50 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 45 from 10 to 30 days and 46 after 30 days. One hundred and forty-one motions were decided the day presented. Of the 141 ruled upon, 44 were allowed, 59 denied and 38 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 27 motions reported. Of this number 16 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 2 within 10 to 30 days, and 9 after 30 days. Twenty-seven motions were decided on the day presented. Of the 27 ruled upon 18 were allowed and 9 denied.

## TWENTIETH DISTRICT

HON. L. E. QUINLAN, of Lyons, Judge  
JACK MORRISON, JR., Clerk, Barton County  
BERTHA WAHL, Clerk, Rice County  
GERTRUDE BARTLE, Clerk, Stafford County

Three counties: Barton, Rice and Stafford. Area, 2,395 square miles; population, 53,199; assessed value, \$127,158,010.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCES)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 307 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 82 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 219 were tried to the court, and 6 to the jury. In 215 cases no answers were filed, in 40 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 35 from 30 to 60 days, in 14 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 3 cases after 6 months. There were 170 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 33 from 3 to 6 months, 19 from 6 to 12 months, and 3 after 1 year. In 233 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 12 not the same day but within 10 days, 9 from 10 to 30 days, 13 after 30 days, and in 40 cases no journal entries were filed. Court costs amounting to \$7,333.66 were reported in 307 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.25, a maximum of \$516.17, and an average of \$23.89. There were 158 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 56 had been pending less than 3 months, 48 from 3 to 6 months, 27 from 6 to 12 months, 17 from 1 to 2 years, 6 from 2 to 3 years, 2 from 3 to 4 years, 2 from 4 to 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 140 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 36 were dismissed before trial. In 76 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 28 to the husbands. Three were contested. The custody of 30 minor children was awarded to the wives, 5 to the husbands. There were 14 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 84 from 60 days to 6 months, and 6 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 34 cases; extreme cruelty, 45 cases; abandonment, 24 cases, miscellaneous, 1 case. Court costs amounting to \$1,063.43 were reported in 123 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.45, a maximum of \$69.85 and an average of \$8.65. There were 55 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 25 had been pending less than 3 months, 10 from 3 to 6 months, 17 from 6 months to 1 year, 3 from 1 to 2 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 94 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 23 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 56 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 15 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 9 verdicts of guilty and 6 verdicts of not guilty. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 9 cases, in 10 to 30 days in 3 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 1 case, in 3 to 6 months in 1 case, and in 1 case after 1 year. The date information was filed was not reported in 17 cases. There were 27 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$3,666.46 were reported in 94 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.55, a maximum of \$207.45, and an average of \$38.96. There were 17 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 9 had been pending less than 3 months, 5 from 3 to 6 months, 1 from 6 months to 1 year, 2 from 3 to 4 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 3 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were

disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 397 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 18 were withdrawn or not presented, and 42 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 241 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 56 from 10 to 30 days, and 40 after 30 days. There were 303 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 7 not the same day but within 10 days, 26 from 10 to 30 days, and 1 after 30 days. Of the 337 ruled upon, 260 were allowed, 67 were denied and 10 were allowed in part and denied in part.

MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A. In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 46 motions reported. Of this number 5 were withdrawn or not presented. Thirty-seven cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed and 4 after 30 days. Forty motions were decided on the day presented, 1 within 10 days. Of the 41 ruled upon, 40 were allowed and 1 denied.

#### TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT

HON. EDGAR C. BENNETT, of Marysville, Judge  
HAROLD CRAWFORD, Clerk, Clay County  
WALLACE J. KOPPES, Clerk, Marshall County  
FRANK J. LUND, Clerk, Riley County

Three counties: Clay, Marshall and Riley. Area, 2,147 square miles; population, 54,967; assessed value, \$94,418,829.

CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2. There were 197 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 34 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 154 were tried to the court and 9 to the jury. In 137 cases no answers were filed. In 34 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 16 from 30 to 60 days, in 6 from 60 days to 6 months and in 4 after 6 months. There were 121 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 23 from 3 to 6 months, 9 from 6 to 12 months, and 10 after 1 year. In 144 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 8 not the same day but within 10 days, 9 from 10 to 30 days, 12 after 30 days, and in 24 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$9,628.18 were reported in 197 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.50, a maximum of \$1,151.28 and an average of \$48.88. There were 94 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 42 had been pending less than 3 months, 16 from 3 to 6 months, 16 from 6 to 12 months, 9 from 1 to 2 years, 9 from 2 to 3 years, 1 from 4 to 5 years and 1 over 5 years.

DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4. There were 96 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 19 were dismissed before trial. In 60 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 17 cases to husbands. Ten cases were contested. The custody of 55 minor children was awarded to the wives, 14 to the husbands. There were 2 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 66 from 60 days to 6 months and 9 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 14 cases; extreme cruelty, 48 cases; abandonment, 15 cases. Court costs amounting to \$933.88 were reported in 96 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.25, a maximum of \$53.65 and an average of \$9.73. There were 28 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 17 had been pending less than 3 months, 2 from 3 to 6 months, 1 from 6 months to 1 year, 6 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 2 to 3 years, 1 from 3 to 4 years.



**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 47 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 18 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 26 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 3 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 3 verdicts of guilty. Trial was had within 30 days to 3 months in 3 cases. The date information was filed was not reported in 14 cases. There were 3 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$850.10 were reported in 43 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.25, a maximum of \$99.60 and an average of \$19.77. There were 7 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number, 2 had been pending less than 3 months, 2 from 3 to 6 months, 2 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 2 to 3 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 2 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 228 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 11 were withdrawn or not presented, and 33 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 127 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 36 from 10 to 30 days, and 21 after 30 days. There were 178 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 3 not the same day but within 10 days, 2 from 10 to 30 days, and 1 after 30 days. Of the 184 ruled upon, 167 were allowed, 15 denied and 2 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 16 motions reported. Of this number 2 were withdrawn or not presented. Five cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 3 within 10 to 30 days, and 6 after 30 days. Fourteen motions were decided on the day presented. Of the 14 ruled upon 12 were allowed and 2 denied.

### TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT

HON. C. W. RYAN, of Wathena, Judge  
H. N. ZIMMERMAN, Clerk, Brown County  
BEULAH M. SWIGGETT, Clerk, Doniphan County  
ELLA SCHMEIDELER, Clerk, Nemaha County

Three counties: Brown, Doniphan and Nemaha. Area, 1,665 square miles; population, 49,626; assessed value, \$82,742,971.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 289 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 59 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 221 were tried to the court and 9 to the jury. In 193 cases no answers were filed. In 46 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 26 from 30 to 60 days, in 15 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 9 after 6 months. There were 122 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 69 from 3 to 6 months, 25 from 6 to 12 months, and 14 after 1 year. In 59 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 102 not the same day but within 10 days, 61 from 10 to 30 days, 22 after 30 days, and in 45 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$13,032.51 were reported in 289 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.05, a maximum of \$3,190.00 and an average of \$25.10. There were 114 civil actions other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 46 had been pending less than 3 months, 22 from 3 to 6 months, 11 from 6 to 12 months, 17 from 1 to 2 years, 16 from 2 to 3 years, 2 from 3 to 4 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 50 divorce cases tried on the

merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 14 were dismissed before trial. In 25 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 10 cases to husbands, and 1 case denied. Four cases were contested. The custody of 19 minor children was awarded to the wives, 4 to the husbands. There were 31 cases tried from 60 days to 6 months after the petitions were filed, and 5 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 24 cases; extreme cruelty, 4 cases; abandonment, 6 cases; convicted of a felony, 1 case. Court costs amounting to \$618.47 were reported in 35 cases, showing a minimum of \$4.90, a maximum of \$63.35 and an average of \$18.24. There were 27 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 11 had been pending less than 3 months, 4 from 3 to 6 months, 5 from 6 months to 1 year, 3 from 2 to 3 years, 2 from 4 to 5 years and 2 over 5 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 52 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 13 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 33 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 6 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 5 verdicts of guilty and 1 verdict of not guilty. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 3 cases, in 10 to 30 days in 1 case, and in 30 days to 3 months in 2 cases. The date information was filed was not reported in 5 cases. There were 7 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$2,572.65 were reported in 52 cases, showing a minimum of \$6.55, a maximum of \$296 and an average of \$49.47. There were 4 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 3 had been pending less than 3 months, and 1 from 3 to 6 months.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 433 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 26 were withdrawn or not presented, and 29 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 238 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 85 from 10 to 30 days, and 55 after 30 days. There were 375 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 2 not the same day but from 10 to 30 days, and 1 after 30 days. Of the 378 ruled upon 316 were allowed and 62 denied.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 29 motions reported. Of this number 2 were withdrawn or not presented. Seventeen cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 2 within 10 to 30 days, and 8 after 30 days. Twenty-five motions were decided on the day presented, 1 within 10 to 30 days, and 1 after 30 days. Of the 27 ruled upon 23 were allowed and 4 denied.

#### TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT

HON. C. A. SPENCER, of Oakley, Judge  
FRED J. BIEKER, Clerk, Ellis County  
J. B. CHENOWETH, Clerk, Gove County  
A. W. ROGGE, Clerk, Logan County  
GEO. W. BRANDT, Clerk, Russell County  
ELVA BRANDENBURG, Clerk, Trego County  
IDA WARD, Clerk, Wallace County

Six counties: Ellis, Gove, Logan, Russell, Trego and Wallace. Area, 5,778 square miles; population, 47,547; assessed value, \$84,796,295.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 482 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 101 were dismissed before trial on the

merits, 375 were tried to the court, and 6 to the jury. In 400 cases no answers were filed. In 22 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 24 from 30 to 60 days, in 31 from 60 days to 6 months and in 5 after 6 months. There were 175 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 104 from 3 to 6 months, 41 from 6 to 12 months, and 61 after 1 year. In 324 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 69 not the same day but within 10 days, 10 from 10 to 30 days, 17 after 30 days, and in 62 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$11,596.35 were reported in 481 cases, showing a minimum of \$1.10, a maximum of \$190.72 and an average of \$24.07. There were 274 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 91 had been pending less than 3 months, 56 from 3 to 6 months, 51 from 6 to 12 months, 55 from 1 to 2 years, 14 from 2 to 3 years, 2 from 3 to 4 years, 3 from 4 to 5 years and 2 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 97 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 20 were dismissed before trial. In 58 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 19 cases to husbands. Three cases were contested. The custody of 47 minor children was awarded to the wives, 9 to the husbands and 6 to each parent part time. There were 6 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 54 from 60 days to 6 months and 17 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 32 cases; extreme cruelty, 21 cases; abandonment, 15 cases; habitual drunkenness, 4 cases; convicted of a felony, 1 case; miscellaneous, 4 cases. Court costs amounting to \$1,010.08 were reported in 97 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.70, a maximum of \$195.91 and an average of \$10.41. There were 43 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 20 had been pending less than 3 months, 8 from 3 to 6 months, 8 from 6 months to 1 year, 6 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 4 to 5 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 44 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 22 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 17 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 5 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 2 verdicts of guilty and 3 verdicts of not guilty. Trial was had within 10 to 30 days in 2 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 1 case, in 3 to 6 months in 1 case, in 6 months to 1 year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 12 cases. There were 9 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,008.54 were reported in 44 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.80, a maximum of \$94.17, and an average of \$25.20. There were 13 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 2 had been pending less than 3 months, 3 from 3 to 6 months, 6 from 6 months to 1 year, 1 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 2 to 3 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 4 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 209 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 37 were withdrawn or not presented and 22 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 52 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 38 from 10 to 30 days, and 60 after 30 days. There were 140 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 2 not the same day but within 10 days, 1 from 10 to 30 days and 7 after 30 days. Of the 150 ruled upon 95 were allowed, 53 denied and 2 were allowed in part and denied in part.

MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A. In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 12 motions reported. Of this number 1 was presented within 10 to 30 days, and 11 after 30 days. Five motions were decided on the day presented, 3 within 10 days, 4 within 10 to 30 days. Of the 12 ruled upon 11 were allowed and 1 denied.

#### TWENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT

HON. GEO. L. HAY, of Kingman, Judge  
EDITH MYERS, Clerk, Barber County  
JAY B. PEARL, Clerk, Harper County  
NELL H. WALTER, Clerk, Kingman County  
MARY FAIRCHILD, Clerk, Pratt County

Four counties: Barber, Harper, Kingman and Pratt. Area, 3,526 square miles; population, 45,936; assessed value, \$100,012,030.

CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2. There were 263 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 63 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 179 were tried to the court and 20 to the jury, 1 case was removed to the federal court. In 184 cases no answers were filed. In 38 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 17 from 30 to 60 days, in 14 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 10 after 6 months. There were 140 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 32 from 3 to 6 months, 14 from 6 to 12 months, and 13 after 1 year. In 147 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 18 not the same day but within 10 days, 18 from 10 to 30 days, 18 after 30 days, and in 62 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$6,951.62 were reported in 261 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.90, a maximum of \$267.93 and an average of \$26.71. There were 120 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 45 had been pending less than 3 months, 15 from 3 to 6 months, 24 from 6 to 12 months, 21 from 1 to 2 years, 7 from 2 to 3 years, 6 from 3 to 4 years, 1 from 4 to 5 years and 1 over 5 years.

DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4. There were 87 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 24 were dismissed before trial. In 53 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 9 cases to husbands, and 1 denied. Four cases were contested. The custody of 52 minor children was awarded to the wives, 2 to the husbands. There was 1 case tried within 60 days after the petition was filed, 54 cases from 60 days to 6 months, and 8 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 12 cases; extreme cruelty, 30 cases; abandonment, 17 cases; nonsupport, 1 case; miscellaneous, 2 cases. Court costs amounting to \$811.08 were reported in 88 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.15, a maximum of \$33.95 and an average of \$9.22. There were 32 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 20 had been pending less than 3 months, 7 from 3 to 6 months, 5 from 6 months to 1 year.

CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6. There were 51 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 20 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 23 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 8 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 4 verdicts of guilty and 4 verdicts of not guilty. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 2 cases, in 10 to 30 days in 1 case, in 30 days to 3 months in 2 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 2 cases, in 6 months to 1 year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 8 cases. There were 9 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$2,589.60 were reported in 51 cases, showing

a minimum of \$2.05, a maximum of \$360.10 and an average of \$50.78. There were 15 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 7 had been pending less than 3 months, 4 from 3 to 6 months, 3 from 6 months to 1 year, 1 from 1 to 2 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 4 cases.

MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6. In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 160 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 12 were withdrawn or not presented, and 6 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 62 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 43 from 10 to 30 days, and 37 after 30 days. There were 140 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 1 not the same day but within 10 days, 1 from 10 to 30 days. Of the 142 ruled upon, 91 were allowed, 47 denied and 4 were allowed in part and denied in part.

MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A. In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 9 motions reported. Of this number 4 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 2 within 10 to 30 days, and 3 after 30 days. Nine motions were decided on the day presented. Of the 9 ruled upon, 7 were allowed and 2 denied.

#### TWENTY-FIFTH DISTRICT

HON. WENDELL READY, of Wellington, Judge  
JESSIE HAVERSTOCK, Clerk

One county: Sumner. Area, 1,179 square miles; population, 27,042; assessed value, \$52,173,693.

CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2. There were 169 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 56 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 105 were tried to the court and 8 to the jury. In 100 cases no answers were filed. In 17 cases answers were filed within 30 days after petitions were filed, in 15 cases from 30 to 60 days, in 32 cases from 60 days to 6 months, and 5 cases after 6 months. There were 65 cases tried on the merits within three months of the time petitions were filed, in 27 from 3 to 6 months, in 15 from 6 to 12 months and in 6 cases after 1 year. In 96 cases journal entries were filed day of trial, in 27 cases not the same day but within 10 days, in 8 cases from 10 to 30 days, and in 4 cases after 30 days, and in 34 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$5,207.68 were reported in 169 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.90, a maximum of \$399.20, and an average of \$30.81. There were 76 civil cases, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 19 had been pending less than 3 months, 9 from 3 to 6 months, 11 from 6 to 12 months, 18 from 1 to 2 years, 11 from 2 to 3 years, 6 from 3 to 4 years, and 2 from 4 to 5 years.

DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4. There were 90 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 27 were dismissed before trial. In 52 cases divorces were granted to wives and in 11 cases to husbands. Four cases were contested. The custody of 44 children was awarded to the wives, 6 to the husbands, and 1 to others. There were 2 cases tried within 60 days after petitions were filed, 57 from 60 days to 6 months and 4 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 48 cases; extreme cruelty, 6 cases; and abandonment, 9 cases. Court costs

amounting to \$886.62 were reported in 90 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.80, maximum of \$29.35 and an average of \$9.85. There were 75 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 26 had been pending less than 3 months, 7 from 3 to 6 months, 14 from 6 months to 1 year, 10 from 1 to 2 years, 10 from 2 to 3 years, 5 from 3 to 4 years, and 3 from 4 to 5 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 26 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 4 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 20 cases defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 2 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 2 verdicts of guilty. Trial was had within 10 days in 1 case and from 30 days to 3 months in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 2 cases. There were 7 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$653.65 were reported in 26 cases, showing a minimum of \$7.70, a maximum of \$104.30 and an average of \$25.14. There were 16 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 2 had been pending less than 3 months, 1 from 3 to 6 months, 2 from 6 months to 1 year, 7 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 2 to 3 years, and 3 from 4 to 5 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 13 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 470 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 68 were withdrawn or not presented, and 17 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 218 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 87 from 10 to 30 days and 80 after 30 days. There were 383 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, and 2 within 10 days. Of the 385 ruled on, 286 were allowed, 96 denied, and 3 allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1938—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 25 motions reported. Of this number 1 was withdrawn or not presented; 14 cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 5 within 10 to 30 days and 5 after 30 days. Twenty-three motions were decided on the day presented, and 1 within 30 days after the day presented. Of the 24 ruled upon, 23 were allowed and 1 denied.

#### TWENTY-NINTH DISTRICT

HON. E. L. FISCHER, of Kansas City, Judge First Division  
HON. WILLARD M. BENTON, of Kansas City, Judge Second Division  
HON. HARVEY J. EMERSON, of Kansas City, Judge Third Division  
HON. C. A. MILLER, of Kansas City, Judge Fourth Division  
HAROLD H. HARDING, Clerk

One county: Wyandotte. Area, 143 square miles; population, 149,342; assessed value, \$113,165,791.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 1,084 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 232 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 783 were tried to the court, and 69 to the jury. In 526 cases no answers were filed. In 180 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 263 from 30 to 60 days, in 79 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 36 after 6 months. There were 383 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 118 from 3 to 6 months, 214 from 6 to 12 months and 137 after 1 year. In 718 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 100 not the same day but within 10 days, 7 from 10 to 30 days,

11 after 30 days, and in 248 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$18,903.07 were reported in 1,084 cases, showing a minimum of \$6.10, a maximum of \$121 and an average of \$17.44. There were 2,023 civil actions, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 221 had been pending less than 3 months, 139 from 3 to 6 months, 487 from 6 to 12 months, 282 from 1 to 2 years, 263 from 2 to 3 years, 199 from 3 to 4 years, 284 from 4 to 5 years and 148 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 514 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 49 were dismissed before trial. In 367 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 95 cases to husbands, and 3 were denied. Three were contested. The custody of 258 minor children was awarded to the wives, 12 to the husbands. There were 17 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 347 from 60 days to 6 months, and 101 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 1 case; extreme cruelty, 373 cases; abandonment, 73 cases; adultery, 1 case; habitual drunkenness, 7 cases; convicted of a felony, 5 cases, and miscellaneous, 2 cases. Court costs amounting to \$6,015.27 were reported in 514 cases, showing a minimum of \$7, a maximum of \$98.25 and an average of \$11.70. There were 1,908 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 182 had been pending less than 3 months, 126 from 3 to 6 months, 225 from 6 months to 1 year, 376 from 1 to 2 years, 311 from 2 to 3 years, 260 from 3 to 4 years, 279 from 4 to 5 years and 149 over 5 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 195 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 37 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 123 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 35 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 25 verdicts of guilty, 9 verdicts of not guilty and 1 mistrial. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 1 case, in 10 to 30 days in 2 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 13 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 9 cases, in 6 months to 1 year in 4 cases and in 6 cases after 1 year. The date information was filed was not reported in 31 cases. There were 73 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$5,126.19 were reported in 188 cases, showing a minimum of \$6.55, a maximum of \$116.10, and an average of \$27.27. There were 766 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 44 had been pending less than 3 months, 23 from 3 to 6 months, 69 from 6 months to 1 year, 89 from 1 to 2 years, 86 from 2 to 3 years, 40 from 3 to 4 years, 31 from 4 to 5 years and 384 over 5 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 336 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 963 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 50 were withdrawn or not presented, and 178 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 367 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 203 from 10 to 30 days and 165 after 30 days. There were 711 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 12 not the same day but within 10 days, 4 from 10 to 30 days, and 8 after 30 days. Of the 735 ruled upon 491 were allowed and 244 denied.

## THIRTIETH DISTRICT

HON. ROY A. SMITH, of Salina, Judge  
JAMES A. WILSON, Clerk, Ellsworth County  
ERNEST D. HARLOW, Clerk, Lincoln County  
A. H. FINLEY, Clerk, Ottawa County  
O. HOWARD FORD, Clerk, Saline County

Four counties: Ellsworth, Lincoln, Ottawa and Saline. Area, 2,877 square miles; population, 58,729; assessed value, \$119,699,113.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 394 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 153 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 216 were tried to the court and 25 to the jury. One case was removed to the federal court. In 279 cases no answers were filed. In 42 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 42 from 30 to 60 days, in 22 from 60 days to 6 months and in 9 after 6 months. There were 163 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 44 from 3 to 6 months, 20 from 6 to 12 months and 14 after 1 year. In 309 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 25 not the same day but within 10 days, 22 from 10 to 30 days, 7 after 30 days and in 31 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$11,526.25 were reported in 394 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.25, a maximum of \$443.70 and an average of \$29.25. There were 220 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 49 had been pending less than 3 months, 36 from 3 to 6 months, 33 from 6 to 12 months, 46 from 1 to 2 years, 10 from 2 to 3 years, 6 from 3 to 4 years, 9 from 4 to 5 years and 31 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 147 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 23 were dismissed before trial. In 105 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 16 cases to husbands, and 3 denied. Seven cases were contested. The custody of 70 minor children was awarded to the wives, 14 to the husbands and 5 to others. There were 8 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 96 from 60 days to 6 months, and 20 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 45 cases; extreme cruelty, 50 cases; abandonment, 20 cases; adultery, 1 case; nonsupport, 1 case; habitual drunkenness, 1 case; convicted of a felony, 2 cases, and miscellaneous, 1 case. Court costs amounting to \$1,502.16 were reported in 147 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.35, a maximum of \$236.72 and an average of \$10.22. There were 162 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 26 had been pending less than 3 months, 11 from 3 to 6 months, 13 from 6 months to 1 year, 29 from 1 to 2 years, 28 from 2 to 3 years, 18 from 3 to 4 years, 17 from 4 to 5 years and 20 over 5 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 63 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 16 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 33 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 14 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 7 verdicts of guilty, 6 verdicts of not guilty and 1 hung jury. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 3 cases, in 10 to 30 days in 5 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 5 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 11 cases. There were 18 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$2,290 were reported in 64 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.50,



a maximum of \$341.70 and an average of \$34.22. There were 11 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 3 had been pending less than 3 months, 4 from 3 to 6 months, 1 from 1 to 2 years, 2 from 3 to 4 years and 1 over 5 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 3 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 377 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 74 were withdrawn or not presented, and 88 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 149 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 31 from 10 to 30 days and 35 after 30 days. There were 212 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 1 not the same day but within 10 days and 2 from 10 to 30 days. Of the 215 ruled upon 147 were allowed, 51 denied and 17 allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 4 motions reported. Of this number 4 were presented within 10 days after they were filed. Four motions were decided on the day presented. Of the 4 ruled upon 4 were allowed.

### THIRTY-FIRST DISTRICT

HON. KARL MILLER, of Dodge City, Judge  
HOPE GRIMES, Clerk, Clark County  
JESSIE CHAMBERS, Clerk, Comanche County  
SUSAN A. EVANS, Clerk, Ford County  
MOLLY PARKS, Clerk, Gray County  
HERBERT MILLER, Clerk, Kiowa County  
ETHEL COPENHAVER, Clerk, Meade County

Six counties: Clark, Comanche, Ford, Gray, Kiowa and Meade. Area, 5,407 square miles; population, 42,519; assessed value, \$83,226,156.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 381 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 76 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 295 were tried to the court and 7 to the jury. Three cases were removed to the federal court. In 284 cases no answers were filed. In 28 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 24 from 30 to 60 days, in 29 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 13 after 6 months. There were 181 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 49 from 3 to 6 months, 47 from 6 to 12 months and 25 after 1 year. In 266 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 26 not the same day but within 10 days, 12 from 10 to 30 days, 14 after 30 days and in 60 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$9,404.29 were reported in 381 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.15, a maximum of \$172.73, and an average of \$24.68. There were 161 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 59 had been pending less than 3 months, 19 from 3 to 6 months, 25 from 6 to 12 months, 38 from 1 to 2 years, 14 from 2 to 3 years, 3 from 3 to 4 years, 2 from 4 to 5 years and 1 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 106 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 23 were dismissed before trial. In 68 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 15 cases to husbands. One case was contested. The custody of 40 minor children was awarded to the wives, 5 to the husbands. There were 3 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 68 from 60 days to 6 months, and 12 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 28 cases;

extreme cruelty, 20 cases; abandonment, 30 cases; habitual drunkenness, 3 cases; convicted of a felony, 2 cases. Court costs amounting to \$824.06 were reported in 105 cases, showing a minimum of \$1.75, a maximum of \$35.05 and an average of \$7.84. There were 51 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 13 had been pending less than 3 months, 11 from 3 to 6 months, 10 from 6 to 12 months, 16 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 2 to 3 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 84 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 14 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 63 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 7 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 6 verdicts of guilty and 1 verdict of not guilty. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 1 case, in 10 to 30 days in 2 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 2 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 1 case and in 6 months to one year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 11 cases. There were 33 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$2,467.64 were reported in 84 cases, showing a minimum of 3.65, a maximum of \$255.75, and an average of \$29.38. There were 19 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 8 had been pending less than 3 months, 1 from 3 to 6 months, 3 from 6 to 12 months, 5 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 2 to 3 years, 1 from 4 to 5 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 8 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 266 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 18 were withdrawn or not presented and 25 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 169 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 24 from 10 to 30 days, and 30 after 30 days. There were 216 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 2 not the same day but within 10 days, 3 from 10 to 30 days, and 2 after 30 days. Of the 223 ruled upon 178 were allowed, 42 denied and 3 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 62 motions reported. Of this number 3 were withdrawn or not presented. Eleven cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 5 within 10 to 30 days, and 43 after 30 days. Fifty-five motions were decided on the day presented, 2 within 10 to 30 days and 2 after 30 days. Of the 59 ruled upon 56 were allowed and 3 denied.

#### THIRTY-SECOND DISTRICT

HON. FRED J. EVANS, of Garden City, Judge  
RAY McBETH, Clerk, Finney County  
T. P. TUCKER, Clerk, Greeley County  
AMELIA J. MINOR, Clerk, Hamilton County  
PAUL WOOD, Clerk, Kearny County  
Q. H. JEWETT, Clerk, Lane County  
NELLIE SCHEUERMAN, Clerk, Scott County  
MRS. KATE ELDER, Clerk, Wichita County

Seven counties: Finney, Greeley, Hamilton, Kearny, Lane, Scott, and Wichita. Area, 6,039 square miles; population, 25,386; assessed value, \$51,-772,727.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 438 civil actions other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 87 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 337 were tried to the court, and 14 to the jury. In 356 cases no

answers were filed. In 26 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 21 from 30 to 60 days, in 23 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 12 after 6 months. There were 184 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 80 from 3 to 6 months, 48 from 6 months to 1 year, and 39 after 1 year. In 266 cases journal entries were filed day of trial, in 34 cases within 10 days, in 20 cases from 10 to 30 days, in 26 cases after 30 days, and in 92 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$10,621.91 were reported in 421 cases, showing a minimum of 20 cents, a maximum of \$546.35, and an average of \$25.23. There were 163 civil actions, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 56 had been pending less than 3 months, 32 from 3 to 6 months, 34 from 6 to 12 months, 17 from 1 to 2 years, 10 from 2 to 3 years, 7 from 3 to 4 years, 1 from 4 to 5 years, and 6 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 67 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 13 were dismissed before trial. In 44 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, and in 10 cases to the husbands. Three cases were contested. The custody of 43 minor children was awarded to the wives and 7 to husbands. There were 8 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 40 from 60 days to 6 months and 6 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 15 cases; extreme cruelty, 18 cases; abandonment, 18 cases; conviction of a felony, 2 cases; and miscellaneous, 2 cases. Court costs amounting to \$505.35 were reported in 66 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.65, a maximum of \$19.14, and an average of \$7.65. There were 34 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 21 had been pending less than 3 months, 6 from 3 to 6 months, 6 from 6 months to 1 year, and 1 from 1 to 2 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 62 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 24 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 33 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 5 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 5 verdicts of guilty. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 1 case, in 10 to 30 days in 2 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 2 cases. The date information was filed was not reported in 20 cases. There were 18 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,275.08 were reported in 61 cases, showing a minimum of \$1.25, a maximum of \$126.85 and an average of \$20.90. There were 18 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 8 had been pending less than 3 months, 4 from 3 to 6 months, 1 from 6 months to 1 year, 3 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 2 to 3 years, and 1 from 3 to 4 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 12 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 484 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 59 were withdrawn or not presented and 31 were still pending on July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of, 230 were presented within 10 days, 96 from 10 to 30 days and 68 after 30 days. There were 389 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 2 within 10 days, 2 from 10 to 30 days, and 1 after 30 days. Of the 394 ruled upon, 312 were allowed, 75 denied, and 7 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 28 motions reported. Of this

number 7 were withdrawn or not presented. Eleven cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 1 from 10 to 30 days and 9 after 30 days. Twenty motions were decided on the day presented and 1 after 30 days. Of the 21 ruled upon 18 were allowed and 3 denied.

### THIRTY-THIRD DISTRICT

HON. LORIN T. PETERS, of Jetmore, Judge  
C. E. BURKE, Clerk, Edwards County  
FRED R. WILSON, Clerk, Hodgeman County  
LAURA M. JACKSON, Clerk, Ness County  
ROSE MASON, Clerk, Pawnee County  
EDWIN POPP, Clerk, Rush County

Five counties: Edwards, Hodgeman, Ness, Pawnee and Rush. Area, 4,009 square miles; population, 35,554; assessed value, \$70,016,572.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 248 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 47 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 193 were tried to the court, and 8 to the jury. One case was removed to the federal court. In 211 cases no answers were filed. In 14 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 14 from 30 to 60 days, in 6 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 3 after 6 months. There were 145 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 38 from 3 to 6 months, 11 from 6 to 12 months and 7 after 1 year. In 198 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 8 not the same day but within 10 days, 5 from 10 to 30 days, 2 after 30 days and in 35 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$6,792.14 were reported in 249 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.85, a maximum of \$275.75 and an average of \$27.28. There were 103 civil actions, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 34 had been pending less than 3 months, 24 from 3 to 6 months, 18 from 6 to 12 months, 11 from 1 to 2 years, 5 from 2 to 3 years, 6 from 3 to 4 years, and 5 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 63 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 14 were dismissed before trial. In 41 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 8 cases to the husbands. Two cases were contested. The custody of 39 minor children was awarded to the wives, 9 to the husbands. There were 2 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 45 from 60 days to 6 months and 2 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 25 cases; extreme cruelty, 4 cases; abandonment, 16 cases; nonsupport, 2 cases; habitual drunkenness, 1 case; convicted of felony, 1 case. Court costs amounting to \$578.19 were reported in 63 cases, showing a minimum of \$3, a maximum of \$126.95, and an average of \$9.18. There were 18 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 11 had been pending less than 3 months, 4 from 3 to 6 months, 1 from 6 months to 1 year, 1 from 2 to 3 years, and 1 from 4 to 5 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 38 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 12 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 21 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 5 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 1 verdict of guilty, 3 verdicts of not guilty and 1 hung jury. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 3 cases, in 10 to 30 days in 1 case and in 30 days to

3 months in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 13 cases. There were 7 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,048.23 were reported in 39 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.55, a maximum of \$127.55 and an average of \$26.87. There were 12 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 1 had been pending less than 3 months, 4 from 3 to 6 months, 3 from 6 months to 1 year, 3 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 2 to 3 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 6 cases..

MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 to 6. In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 181 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 13 were withdrawn or not presented, and 19 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 87 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 40 from 10 to 30 days, and 22 after 30 days. There were 149 motions or demurrers decided the day presented. Of the 149 ruled upon 120 were allowed, 28 denied and 1 allowed in part and denied in part.

MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A. In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 17 motions reported. Of this number 1 was withdrawn or not presented. Ten cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 1 within 10 to 30 days and 5 after 30 days. Sixteen motions were decided on the day presented. Of the 16 ruled upon, 14 were allowed and 2 denied.

### THIRTY-FOURTH DISTRICT

HON. W. K. SKINNER, of Goodland, Judge  
GRACE SCHWEITZER, Clerk, Graham County  
GEORGE T. CRANE, Clerk, Rooks County  
NOAH TURNER, Clerk, Sheridan County  
WILLIAM MANGUS, Clerk, Sherman County  
N. C. KNUDSON, Clerk, Thomas County

Five counties: Graham, Rooks, Sheridan, Sherman and Thomas. Area, 4,797 square miles; population, 33,707; assessed value, \$50,237,865.

CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2. There were 361 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 46 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 314 were tried to the court and 1 to the jury. In 293 cases no answers were filed. In 29 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 15 from 30 to 60 days, in 19 from 60 days to 6 months and in 5 after 6 months. There were 234 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 60 from 3 to 6 months, 14 from 6 to 12 months and 7 after 1 year. In 291 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 13 not the same day but within 10 days, 15 from 10 to 30 days, 10 after 30 days, and in 32 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$14,093 were reported in 313 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.20, a maximum of \$1,324.24, and an average of \$45.03. There were 195 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 80 had been pending less than 3 months, 36 from 3 to 6 months, 28 from 6 to 12 months, 30 from 1 to 2 years, 13 from 2 to 3 years, 4 from 3 to 4 years, 2 from 4 to 5 years and 2 over 5 years.

DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4. There were 54 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 9 were dismissed before trial. In 27 cases the divorces were granted to the

wives, in 18 cases to husbands. The custody of 29 minor children was awarded to the wives and 2 to the husbands. There were 3 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 39 from 60 days to 6 months and 3 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 1 case; extreme cruelty, 6 cases; abandonment, 21 cases; nonsupport, 3 cases, and miscellaneous, 14 cases. Court costs amounting to \$376.90 were reported in 54 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.40, a maximum of \$25.25 and an average of \$6.98. There were 17 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 11 had been pending less than 3 months, 1 from 3 to 6 months, 2 from 6 months to 1 year, and 3 from 1 to 2 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 34 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 10 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 21 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 3 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 2 verdicts of guilty and 1 hung jury. Trial was had within 10 to 30 days after the information was filed in 1 case, in 3 to 6 months in 2 cases. The date information was filed was not reported in 6 cases. There were 18 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$816.07 were reported in 39 cases, showing a minimum of 50 cents, a maximum of \$126.80 and an average of \$20.92. There were 12 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 2 had been pending less than 3 months, 4 from 3 to 6 months, 3 from 6 months to 1 year, 1 from 1 to 2 years, and 2 from 2 to 3 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 6 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 248 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 18 were withdrawn or not presented and 23 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 132 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 47 from 10 to 30 days and 28 after 30 days. There were 195 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 4 not the same day but within 10 days, 6 from 10 to 30 days and 2 after 30 days. Of the 207 ruled upon 186 were allowed, 19 denied and 2 allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 27 motions reported. Of this number 5 were withdrawn or not presented. Five cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 6 within 10 to 30 days and 11 after 30 days. Twenty-one motions were decided on the day presented and 1 within 10 to 30 days. Of the 22 ruled upon 19 were allowed and 3 denied.

### THIRTY-FIFTH DISTRICT

HON. ROBERT T. PRICE, of Alma, Judge  
WALTER MAXWELL, Clerk, Osage County  
EVA DORMAN, Clerk, Wabaunsee County

Two counties: Osage and Wabaunsee. Area, 1,513 square miles; population, 24,999; assessed value, \$41,909,643.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 179 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number, 37 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 136 were tried to the court, and 6 to the jury. In 141 cases no answers were filed. In 18 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 11 from 30 to 60 days, in 7 from 60 days to 6 months and in 2

after 6 months. There were 101 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 23 from 3 to 6 months, 9 from 6 to 12 months and 9 after 1 year. In 147 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 3 not the same day but within 10 days, 5 after 30 days and in 24 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$5,946.74 were reported in 179 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.80, a maximum of \$541.49 and an average of \$33.22. There were 65 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 32 had been pending less than 3 months, 14 from 3 to 6 months, 7 from 6 months to 1 year, 6 from 1 to 2 years, 5 from 2 to 3 years, and 1 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 30 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 9 were dismissed before trial. In 15 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 5 cases to the husbands, and 1 case denied. Four cases were contested. The custody of 6 minor children was awarded to the wives, 3 to the husbands and 3 to each part time. There was 1 case tried within 60 days after the petition was filed, 20 from 60 days to 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Extreme cruelty, 10 cases; abandonment, 8 cases; adultery, 1 case; and nonsupport, 1 case. Court costs amounting to \$301.48 were reported in 30 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.95, a maximum of \$37.85 and an average of \$10.05. There were 9 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 9 had been pending less than 3 months.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 33 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 4 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 17 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 2 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 1 verdict of guilty and 1 verdict of not guilty. Trial was had within 10 to 30 days after the information was filed in 1 case, within 30 days to 3 months in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 3 cases. There were 13 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,016.60 were reported in 33 cases, showing a minimum of \$1.05, a maximum of \$246.25 and an average of \$30.81. There were 10 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 2 had been pending less than 3 months, 1 from 3 to 6 months, 3 from 6 months to 1 year, 3 from 1 to 2 years, 1 from 2 to 3 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 7 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 161 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 7 were withdrawn or not presented, and 15 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 96 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 24 from 10 to 30 days, and 19 after 30 days. There were 135 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 1 not the same day but within 10 days, 2 from 10 to 30 days, and 1 after 30 days. Of the 139 ruled upon 115 were allowed, 21 denied and 3 were allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 16 motions reported. Of this number 1 was still pending July 1, 1938. Eleven cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 1 within 10 to 30 days and 3 after 30 days. Fifteen motions were decided on the day presented. Of the 15 ruled upon 14 were allowed and 1 denied.

## THIRTY-SIXTH DISTRICT

HON. LLOYDE MORRIS, of Oskaloosa, Judge  
ELFA RUDY, Clerk, Jackson County  
MARGUERITE N. MCCOY, Clerk, Jefferson County  
CHARLES S. SMITH, Clerk, Pottawatomie County

Three counties: Jackson, Jefferson and Pottawatomie. Area, 2,047 square miles; population, 42,295; assessed value, \$65,808,854.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)**—FORMS 1 AND 2. There were 316 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 63 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 244 were tried to the court, and 9 to the jury. In 184 cases no answers were filed. In 74 cases answers were filed within 30 days, in 23 from 30 to 60 days, in 25 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 10 cases after 6 months. There were 188 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time petitions were filed, 39 from 3 to 6 months, 20 from 6 to 12 months, and 6 after 1 year. In 267 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 12 cases not the same day but within 10 days, in 8 from 10 to 30 days, in 9 after 30 days, and in 20 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$8,663.56 were reported in 301 cases, showing a minimum of \$2.20, a maximum of \$251.75 and an average of \$28.78. There were 140 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 65 had been pending less than 3 months, 11 from 3 to 6 months, 23 from 6 to 12 months, 10 from 1 to 2 years, 7 from 2 to 3 years, 12 from 3 to 4 years, 5 from 4 to 5 years, and 7 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES**—FORMS 3 AND 4. There were 63 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 11 were dismissed before trial. In 37 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, and 14 to husbands, and 1 was denied. Nine cases were contested. The custody of 37 minor children was awarded to the wives and 6 to husbands. There was 1 case tried within 60 days after petition was filed, 48 from 60 days to 6 months, and 3 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect of duty, 11 cases; extreme cruelty, 27 cases; abandonment, 12 cases, and conviction of a felony 1 case. Court costs amounting to \$667.04 were reported in 56 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.15, a maximum of \$75.65 and an average of \$11.90. There were 23 divorce cases pending July, 1938, of which 16 had been pending less than 3 months, 2 from 3 to 6 months, 2 from 6 months to 1 year, and 3 from 1 to 2 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES**—FORMS 5 AND 6. There were 62 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 3, 1938. One case was transferred to federal court. Nineteen cases were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 32 cases defendants entered pleas of guilty, and 11 cases were tried to the jury, resulting in 10 verdicts of guilty and 1 not guilty. Trial was had within 30 days to 3 months in 5 cases, and from 3 to 6 months in 6 cases. The date information was filed was not reported in 7 cases. There were 5 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,719.77 were reported in 59 cases, showing a minimum of \$4.70, a maximum of \$127.30, and an average of \$29.15. There were 12 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number, 5 were pending less than 3 months, 4 from 3 to 6 months, 2 from 6 to 12 months and 1 from 2 to 3 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 2 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS**—FORMS 1 TO 6. In all of the cases which were



disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 354 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 23 were withdrawn or not presented, and 36 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 211 were presented within 10 days, 46 from 10 to 30 days, and 38 after 30 days. There were 291 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 2 within 10 days, 1 from 10 to 30 days, and 1 after 30 days. Of the 295 ruled upon, 238 were allowed, 51 denied and 6 were allowed in part and denied in part.

MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937,—FORM 6A. In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 65 motions reported. Of this number 6 were withdrawn or not presented. Forty-one cases were presented within 10 days, 7 from 10 to 30 days, and 11 after 30 days. Fifty-six motions were decided on the day presented, 1 within 10 days, 1 from 10 to 30 days and 1 after 30 days. Of the 59 ruled upon, 54 were allowed, 4 denied, and 1 allowed in part and denied in part.

### THIRTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT

HON. WALLACE H. ANDERSON, of Iola, Judge  
NELL HOGAN STIRNAMAN, Clerk, Allen County  
JOHN F. TIMM, Clerk, Woodson County

Two counties: Allen and Woodson. Area, 1,013 square miles; population, 28,167; assessed value, \$38,020,688.

CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2. There were 243 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 118 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 121 were tried to the court, and 4 to the jury. In 227 cases no answers were filed. In 5 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 7 cases from 30 to 60 days, and in 4 cases from 60 days to 6 months. There were 86 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time petitions were filed, 17 from 3 to 6 months, 10 from 6 to 12 months, and 12 after 1 year. In 219 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 1 case within 10 days, in 6 cases after 30 days, and in 17 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$7,857.03 were reported in 150 cases (Woodson county not reporting costs), showing a minimum of \$3.25, a maximum of \$1,200.16, and an average of \$52.38. There were 119 civil actions other than divorce pending on July 1, 1938. Of this number 35 had been pending less than 3 months, 18 from 3 to 6 months, 26 from 6 months to 1 year, 8 from 1 to 2 years, 9 from 2 to 3 years, 6 from 3 to 4 years, 8 from 4 to 5 years and 9 over 5 years.

DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4. There were 47 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 10 were dismissed before trial. In 27 cases divorces were granted to the wives, 8 to the husbands, and 2 were denied. Three cases were contested. The custody of 19 minor children was awarded to the wives. There were 2 cases tried within 60 days after petitions were filed, 32 from 60 days to 6 months and 3 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 11 cases; extreme cruelty, 6 cases; abandonment, 13 cases; miscellaneous, 5 cases. Court costs amounting to \$426.47 were reported in 47 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.35, a maximum of \$114.20, and an average of \$9.07. There were 37 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 15 had been pending less than 3 months,

7 from 3 to 6 months, 11 from 6 to 12 months, 2 from 1 to 2 years, and 2 from 2 to 3 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 34 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 12 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 15 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 7 cases tried to the jury resulting in 7 verdicts of guilty. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 2 cases, in 10 to 30 days in 1 case, in 30 days to 3 months in 1 case, in 3 to 6 months in 2 cases and in 6 months to 1 year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 2 cases. There were 3 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,309.31 were reported in 34 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.40, a maximum of \$200, and an average of \$38.50. There were 17 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 8 had been pending less than 3 months, 8 from 6 months to 1 year, and 1 less than 2 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 10 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 138 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 2 were withdrawn or not presented. Of the number disposed of 132 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 3 from 10 to 30 days, and 1 after 30 days. There were 136 motions or demurrers decided the day presented. Of the 136 ruled upon 105 were allowed, 30 denied and 1 allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 31 motions reported. Thirty cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, and 1 after 30 days. Thirty motions were decided on the day presented, and 1 after 30 days. Of the 31 ruled upon, 27 were allowed, and 4 denied.

### THIRTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT

HON. L. M. RESLER, of Pittsburg, Judge  
JEAN BELL, Clerk

One county: Crawford. Area, 605 square miles; population, 47,788; assessed value, \$38,792,218.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 211 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 74 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 125 were tried to the court, and 12 to the jury. In 144 cases no answers were filed. In 27 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 14 from 30 to 60 days, in 22 from 60 days to 6 months, and in 4 after 6 months. There were 81 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 32 from 3 to 6 months, 11 from 6 to 12 months and 13 after 1 year. In 127 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 9 not the same day but within 10 days, 6 from 10 to 30 days, 4 after 30 days, and in 65 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$3,968.85 were reported in 210 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.10, a maximum of \$197.50 and an average of \$18.90. There were 233 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 35 had been pending less than 3 months, 22 from 3 to 6 months, 43 from 6 months to 1 year, 43 from 1 to 2 years, 28 from 2 to 3 years, 16 from 3 to 4 years, 13 from 4 to 5 years and 33 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 160 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 47 were dismissed before trial. In 94 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 19 cases to husbands. Nine cases were contested. The custody of 18 minor children was awarded to the wives. There were 9 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, 90 from 60 days to 6 months, and 14 after 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 24 cases; extreme cruelty, 70 cases; abandonment, 18 cases; and convicted of a felony, 1 case. Court costs amounting to \$1,330.35 were reported in 160 cases, showing a minimum of \$4.25, a maximum of \$19.75, and an average of \$8.31. There were 157 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 43 had been pending less than 3 months, 14 from 3 to 6 months, 18 from 6 months to 1 year, 35 from 1 to 2 years, 25 from 2 to 3 years, 8 from 3 to 4 years, 9 from 4 to 5 years and 5 over 5 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 54 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 28 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 19 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 7 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 3 verdicts of guilty, 3 verdicts of not guilty and 1 defendant found insane. Trial was had within 10 to 30 days after the information was filed in 1 case, within 30 days to 3 months in 5 cases and in 6 months to 1 year in 1 case. The date information was filed was not reported in 33 cases. There were 8 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$1,450.78 were reported in 54 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.35, a maximum of \$255 and an average of \$26.87. There were 29 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 6 had been pending less than 3 months, 9 from 3 to 6 months, 3 from 6 months to 1 year, 11 from 1 to 2 years. The date information was filed was not reported in 24 cases.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 87 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 4 were withdrawn or not presented, and 29 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 26 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 9 from 10 to 30 days and 19 after 30 days. There were 49 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 4 not the same day but within 10 days and 1 after 30 days. Of the 54 ruled upon, 27 were allowed, 18 denied and 9 were allowed in part and denied in part.

### THIRTY-NINTH DISTRICT

HON. F. O. RINDOM, of Liberal, Judge  
JEWELL ROWLAND, Clerk, Grant County  
EDITH M. YARBROUGH, Clerk, Haskell County  
KATHLEEN CRAWFORD, Clerk, Morton County  
H. W. LANE, Clerk, Seward County  
J. E. SAUNDERS, Clerk, Stanton County  
JOHN F. FULKERSON, Clerk, Stevens County

Six counties: Grant, Haskell, Morton, Seward, Stanton and Stevens. Area, 3,930 square miles; population, 17,840; assessed value, \$43,464,125.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 250 actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 28 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 212 were tried to the court, and 10 to the jury. In 216 cases no answers were filed. In 10 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the

petitions were filed, in 10 cases from 30 to 60 days, in 10 from 60 days to 6 months and in 4 after 6 months. There were 171 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 28 from 3 to 6 months, 10 from 6 to 12 months and 13 after 1 year. In 164 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 27 not the same day but within 10 days, 22 from 10 to 30 days, 24 after 30 days, and in 13 cases no journal entries had yet been filed. Court costs amounting to \$5,675.69 were reported in 246 cases, showing a minimum of 75 cents, a maximum of \$125.10 and an average of \$23.05. There were 91 civil actions, other than divorce, pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 40 had been pending less than 3 months, 15 from 3 to 6 months, 8 from 6 months to 1 year, 15 from 1 to 2 years, 9 from 2 to 3 years, 2 from 3 to 4 years and 2 over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 33 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 10 were dismissed before trial. In 15 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, 8 to the husbands. The custody of 13 minor children was awarded to the wives and 1 to others. There was 1 case tried within 60 days after the petition was filed, 22 from 60 days to 6 months. Grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 3 cases; extreme cruelty, 12 cases; abandonment, 7 cases, and convicted of a felony, 1 case. Court costs amounting to \$203.95 were reported in 33 cases, showing a minimum of \$3.50, a maximum of \$13.05 and an average of \$6.18. There were 19 divorce cases pending July 1, 1938, of which 14 had been pending less than 3 months, 2 from 3 to 6 months, 1 from 6 months to 1 year, and 2 from 1 to 2 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 34 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 10 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 19 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 5 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 3 verdicts of guilty, 1 verdict of not guilty, and 1 hung jury. Trial was had within 10 days after the information was filed in 1 case, in 10 to 30 days in 1 case, in 3 to 6 months in 1 case and in 6 months to 1 year in 2 cases. The date information was filed was not reported in 14 cases. There were 8 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$681 were reported in 33 cases, showing a minimum of \$1.85, a maximum of \$197.55 and an average of \$20.64. There were 10 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 4 had been pending less than 3 months, 2 from 3 to 6 months, 1 from 6 months to 1 year, 3 from 1 to 2 years.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 180 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 5 were withdrawn or not presented, and 19 were still pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 99 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 36 from 10 to 30 days and 21 after 30 days. There were 153 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 1 not the same day but within 10 days, and 2 after 30 days. Of the 156 ruled upon, 128 were allowed and 28 denied.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 49 motions reported. Of this number 3 were withdrawn or not presented. Thirty-four cases were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 3 within 10 to 30 days and 9 after 30 days. Forty-six motions were decided on the day presented. Of the 46 ruled upon 43 were allowed and 3 denied.

## District Courts—Summary for the State

The following is a summary of the work of all the district courts of the state for the year ending June 30, 1938, and of the cases pending in those courts July 1, 1938. There are 36 judicial districts, with 45 district judges, in the 105 counties in the state, with an aggregate population of 1,805,464, and property of the assessed value of \$2,795,855,548.

**CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)—FORMS 1 AND 2.** There were 11,915 civil actions, other than divorce, tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 2,991 were dismissed before trial on the merits, 8,406 were tried to the court and 508 to the jury, and 10 cases were transferred to federal court. In 8,361 cases no answers were filed. In 1,324 cases answers were filed within 30 days after the petitions were filed, in 1,086 cases from 30 to 60 days, in 833 cases from 60 days to 6 months and in 311 cases after 6 months. There were 5,621 cases tried on the merits within 3 months of the time the petitions were filed, 1,645 cases from 3 to 6 months, 999 cases from 6 to 12 months, and 649 cases after 1 year. In 8,201 cases journal entries were filed the day of trial, in 918 cases not the same day but within 10 days, in 466 cases from 10 to 30 days, and in 489 cases after 30 days. In 1,841 cases journal entries are not reported as having been filed. Court costs amounting to \$342,074.59 were reported in 11,719 cases, showing a minimum of twenty cents, a maximum of \$6,457.51, and an average of \$29.19. There were 4,897 civil actions other than divorce pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 1,232 cases had been pending less than 3 months, 706 from 3 to 6 months, 976 from 6 months to 1 year, 692 from 1 to 2 years, 429 from 2 to 3 years, 313 from 3 to 4 years, 327 from 4 to 5 years, and 222 cases over 5 years.

**DIVORCE CASES—FORMS 3 AND 4.** There were 5,576 divorce cases tried on the merits or dismissed within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 1,539 were dismissed before trial. In 3,119 cases the divorces were granted to the wives, in 886 cases to the husbands, in 32 cases divorces were denied, and in 301 cases divorces were contested. The custody of 2,248 minor children was awarded to wives, 308 to husbands, and 37 to other parties. Custody of 12 children was awarded to the parents jointly. There were 297 cases tried within 60 days after the petitions were filed, in 3,232 cases from 60 days to 6 months, and in 508 cases after 6 months. The grounds for divorce were: Gross neglect, 1,478 cases; extreme cruelty, 1,513 cases; abandonment, 820 cases; adultery, 17 cases; nonsupport, 28 cases; habitual drunkenness, 40 cases; conviction of a felony, 46 cases, and miscellaneous grounds, 63 cases. Court costs amounting to \$64,585.26 were reported in 4,977 cases, showing a minimum of \$1.75, a maximum of \$269.60, and an average of \$10.30. There were 3,343 divorce cases pending July 1, 1937. Of this number 866 had been pending less than 3 months, 343 from 3 to 6 months, 460 from 6 months to 1 year, 542 from 1 to 2 years, and 1,132 more than 2 years.

**CRIMINAL CASES—FORMS 5 AND 6.** There were 2,930 criminal cases disposed of within the year ending June 30, 1938. Of this number 986 were dismissed before trial on the merits. In 1,609 cases the defendants entered pleas of guilty. There were 335 cases tried to the jury, resulting in 203 verdicts of guilty, 104 of not guilty, 22 hung juries, 1 mistrial, 1 plea of guilty after jury was impaneled and sworn, and 3 cases dismissed after commencement of trial. Trial was had within 10 days after information was filed in 56 cases,

in 10 to 30 days in 62 cases, in 30 days to 3 months in 105 cases, in 3 to 6 months in 65 cases, in 6 months to 1 year in 36 cases, and after 1 year in 11 cases. The date information was filed was not reported in 706 cases. There were 709 paroles granted. Court costs amounting to \$86,173.44 were reported in 2,923 cases, showing a minimum of seventy-five cents, a maximum of \$858.34 and an average of \$29.41. There were 1,586 criminal cases pending July 1, 1938. Of this number 362 cases had been pending less than 3 months, 155 from 3 to 6 months, 216 from 6 months to 1 year, 220 from 1 to 2 years, 146 from 2 to 3 years, 487 more than 3 years. There were 668 cases in which transcript but no information was filed.

**MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS—FORMS 1 TO 6.** In all of the cases which were disposed of during the year ending June 30, 1938, or which were pending July 1, 1938, 11,669 motions or demurrers were reported. Of this number 989 were withdrawn or not presented and 1,156 were pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of, 6,296 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 1,832 from 10 to 30 days, and 1,396 after 30 days. (In addition to these there were 1911 orders made upon allegations of pleadings or oral motions other than those made during the course of the trial.) There were 8,599 motions or demurrers decided the day presented, 371 not the same day but within 10 days, 310 in 10 to 30 days, and 244 after 30 days. Of the 9,524 ruled upon, 7,251 were allowed, 2,024 denied, and 249 allowed in part and denied in part.

**MOTIONS IN CASES TRIED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937—FORM 6A.** In cases tried on the merits prior to July 1, 1937, there were 1,454 motions reported. Of this number 99 were withdrawn or not presented and 30 were pending July 1, 1938. Of the number disposed of 836 were presented within 10 days after they were filed, 187 from 10 to 30 days, and 302 after 30 days. There were 1,256 motions decided the day presented, 21 not the same day but within 10 days, 20 in 10 to 30 days, and 28 after 30 days. Of the 1,325 ruled upon, 1,171 were allowed, 146 denied, and 8 allowed in part and denied in part.

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### Probate Courts—Summary for the State as a Whole

From the reports sent to us by the probate judges of the state of the business transacted in those courts within the year ending June 30, 1938, and pending therein on July 1, 1938, we have prepared the following summary for the state as a whole:

Reports from 105 counties show 5 defalcations by guardians, executors or administrators within the year, amounting in the aggregate to \$1,440.53; that 74 full-time and 20 part-time juvenile officers are employed, and in some instances juvenile officers were called only when needed; that 2,394 juvenile cases and 20 habeas corpus cases were heard; 266 orders were made in cases pending in the district court, 21 proceedings in aid of execution, 534 adoption proceedings, and 1,216 insanity hearings were had within the year.

**ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS CLOSED WITHIN THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938:** Reports from 102 counties (Greeley and Haskell not having any cases closed, and Sumner not reporting) show that 4,417 estates of deceased persons were closed within the year, 22 of which were foreign transcripts. In 552 cases the final report was filed within 1 year after letters of administration were issued, in 2,629 cases from 1 to 2 years, in 385 cases from 2 to 3 years, in 169

cases from 3 to 4 years, in 141 cases from 4 to 5 years, in 319 cases from 5 to 10 years, and in 200 cases longer than 10 years. In 2,280 cases the decedent left a will and in 2,115 cases decedent died intestate. Bond was required of the executor or administrator in 2,999 cases, and of these 2,944 are reported as having been kept good. Bond was not required in 1,396 cases. In 2,867 cases the inventory was filed within 60 days after letters of administration were issued, in 1,210 cases after 60 days, and in 318 cases no inventory was filed. The aggregate appraised value of the property of these estates was \$42,485,918.70, and the estimated value of the estates not appraised was \$76,723,175.26. In 1,460 cases first annual reports were filed. In 2,929 cases an attorney appeared for the executor or administrator, in 284 cases an attorney represented the heirs or devisees, and in 1,447 cases no attorney is shown as having represented any party in the case. In 4,074 of the estates the claims filed were paid in full, and in 321 cases the property in the estate was insufficient to pay claims in full. The report shows fees aggregating \$588,910.10 paid to executor or administrator, and \$471,691.67 to attorneys representing executors, administrators, heirs or devisees.

ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS PENDING JULY 1, 1938: Reports from 103 counties (Decatur and Sumner not reporting) show estates of 12,384 deceased persons pending on July 1, 1938, 145 of which were foreign transcripts and 71 were cases filed so recently that no data was given. Of these 3,886 had been pending less than 1 year, 2,098 from 1 to 2 years, 1,111 from 2 to 3 years, 769 from 3 to 4 years, 617 from 4 to 5 years, 2,133 from 5 to 10 years, and 1,554 over 10 years. In 6,387 of the cases reported as pending the decedent had left a will, and in 5,781 decedent had died intestate. In 8,053 cases the executor or administrator had given bond, 7,767 of which were reported as having been kept good, and in 4,115 cases no bond had been required. In 6,660 of these cases the inventory was filed within 60 days after letters of administration were issued, in 2,741 cases later than 60 days, and in 2,767 cases no inventory had been filed. The aggregate value of these estates as shown by the appraisement is \$108,351,511.18 and the estimated value of property of the estates not appraised is \$17,006,105.39. In 2,233 cases first annual reports had been filed, and in 9,935 cases such reports had not been filed. In 7,166 cases an attorney represented the executor or administrator, in 689 cases an attorney represented heirs or devisees, and in 4,954 cases no attorney is shown as representing anyone.

GUARDIANSHIP ESTATES CLOSED WITHIN THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938: Reports from 92 counties show that 920 guardianship estates (of minors, insane or other incompetent persons) were closed within the year ending June 30, 1938, 16 of which were foreign transcripts. Reports from 13 counties either report nothing on such estates, or specifically report that no such estates had been closed within the year. (See Table IV for counties which reported or did not report such estates as closed.) Of such estates reported as closed within the year, 130 had been pending less than one year, 104 from 1 to 2 years, 99 from 2 to 3 years, 56 from 3 to 4 years, 55 from 4 to 5 years, 206 from 5 to 10 years, and 254 longer than 10 years. Of these estates, 624 were of minors, 174 of insane persons, and 106 of other incompetents. In 641 cases the guardian was appointed for the person of the ward as well as for the estate, and in 263 cases the guardian was not appointed for the person. The aggregate value of these estates is reported as \$2,836,189.98. In 862 cases bond

was required of the guardian, and in 822 cases the bond was reported as having been kept good, and in 42 cases no bond was required. In 287 of these cases an inventory was filed within 30 days, in 159 cases after 30 days, and in 458 cases no inventory was reported as having been filed. There were 2,385 annual reports filed. In 670 cases the investments of the ward by the guardian are reported as having been supervised by the court. In 369 cases an attorney is reported as representing the guardian, and in 47 cases as representing the ward. Total fees allowed guardians is reported as \$36,922.97, and allowed attorneys as \$31,319.78. In 802 cases the wards' funds were reported as having been properly accounted for and disbursed.

GUARDIANSHIP ESTATE CASES PENDING JULY 1, 1938: From reports sent to us from 104 of the probate judges in the state (Sumner not reporting) there were 9,683 cases of guardianship estates of minors, insane and other incompetent persons pending on July 1, 1938, 33 of which were foreign transcripts. Of these 1,164 had been pending less than 1 year, 1,059 from 1 to 2 years, 987 from 2 to 3 years, 807 from 3 to 4 years, 671 from 4 to 5 years, 2,569 from 5 to 10 years, and 2,393 more than 10 years. These were estates of 7,227 minors, 1,402 insane persons, and 1,021 of other incompetent persons. A guardian was also appointed for the person of the ward in 6,939 cases. The aggregate value of the property of these estates was reported as \$16,306,553.28. The reports showed that the guardian gave bond in 9,046 cases and that the bonds had been kept good in 8,758 cases. No bond had been required in 604 cases. An inventory had been filed in 2,471 cases within 30 days after the appointment of the guardian and in 1,604 cases more than 30 days after the appointment. No inventory had been filed in 5,575 cases. In these cases, 18,629 annual reports have been filed. The reports show that the investments of the guardians for the ward are supervised by the court in 7,094 cases. An attorney is shown as representing the guardian in 4,200 cases and as representing the ward in 298 cases. In 5,350 cases no attorney is shown as representing any of the parties. Aggregate fees amounting to \$316,884.17 have been allowed to guardians and \$101,240.22 to attorneys. In 8,127 cases the reports show the wards' funds have been kept intact and properly accounted for.



SUMMARY OF DISTRICT COURTS  
TABLE I.—CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE) TRIED ON THE MERITS (OR DISMISSED), YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938  
(Compiled from Form 1)

COUNTIES.	Number of cases.	Dis- missed before trial.	Tried to the court.	Tried to the jury.	Trans- ferred to federal court.	No answer filed.	Answer filed.				Cases tried.			
							In 30 days.	In 30 to 60 days.	In 60 days to 6 months.	After 6 months.	In 3 months after petition.	In 3 to 6 months.	In 6 to 12 months.	After 12 months.
Allen.....	154	40	111	3	0	141	3	6	4	0	77	16	9	12
Anderson.....	59	10	43	6	0	39	8	4	7	1	26	9	2	2
Atchison.....	111	29	79	3	0	76	16	10	4	2	58	9	9	6
Barber.....	78	23	51	3	1	52	7	6	8	5	38	8	5	3
Barton.....	112	25	85	2	0	98	1	8	4	1	70	7	9	1
Bourbon.....	149	37	108	4	0	109	17	8	14	1	70	20	15	7
Brown.....	102	19	82	1	0	68	13	8	8	5	39	24	11	9
Burlingame.....	169	60	97	10	2	118	16	17	12	6	66	15	19	7
Butler.....	26	7	19	0	0	19	2	2	3	0	11	5	3	0
Chase.....	34	4	29	1	0	30	3	0	1	0	23	5	2	0
Chautauqua.....														
Cherokee.....	109	44	63	2	0	102	3	3	1	0	43	11	4	7
Cheyenne.....	53	9	44	0	0	41	4	5	2	1	36	3	3	2
Clark.....	38	8	28	2	0	26	4	3	4	1	15	6	8	2
Clay.....	30	5	23	2	0	28	1	0	0	1	20	2	1	1
Cloud.....	71	17	51	3	0	53	7	7	0	1	36	13	4	1
Coffey.....	69	9	60	0	0	53	11	1	4	0	44	13	1	2
Comanche.....	33	7	26	0	0	23	2	0	8	0	16	4	2	4
Cowley.....	233	69	144	10	0	166	16	13	21	7	105	19	15	15
Crawford.....	211	74	125	12	0	144	27	14	22	4	81	32	11	13
Decatur.....	30	4	26	0	0	26	3	0	0	0	25	1	0	0
Dickinson.....	125	29	96	0	0	97	13	7	5	3	67	15	10	4
Doniphan.....	86	17	66	3	0	55	13	13	4	1	23	24	8	4
Douglas.....	118	30	81	7	0	79	19	8	12	0	55	13	13	2
Edwards.....	54	15	38	1	0	39	7	7	1	0	33	6	0	0
Elk.....	52	9	43	0	0	45	1	3	3	0	19	20	4	0

TABLE I.—CONTINUED. Civil cases (other than divorce) tried on the merits (or dismissed), year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number of cases.	Dis-mitted before trial.	Tried to the court.	Tried to the jury.	Trans-ferred to federal court.	No answer filed.	Answer filed.				Cases tried.			
							In 30 days.	In 30 to 60 days.	In 60 days to 6 months.	After 6 months.	In 3 months after petition.	In 3 to 6 months.	In 6 to 12 months.	After 12 months.
Ellis.....	129	33	94	2	0	96	9	8	13	3	55	15	17	9
Ellsworth.....	40	6	34	0	0	29	0	1	3	7	27	4	2	1
Finney.....	151	40	107	4	0	129	9	5	5	3	57	22	14	18
Ford.....	181	43	133	5	0	130	15	17	9	10	82	11	29	16
Franklin.....	106	20	77	9	0	86	9	5	3	3	61	14	9	2
Geary.....	118	10	103	5	0	73	11	6	28	0	100	5	3	0
Gove.....	26	8	18	0	0	23	1	1	1	0	8	8	2	0
Graham.....	79	8	71	0	0	58	16	2	3	0	63	6	2	0
Grant.....	22	0	22	0	0	20	0	2	0	0	20	2	0	0
Gray.....	48	3	45	0	0	45	1	0	2	0	42	2	1	0
Greeley.....	59	9	50	0	0	57	1	0	1	0	19	26	4	1
Greenwood.....	84	15	69	0	0	61	17	4	2	0	62	6	1	0
Hamilton.....	55	16	37	2	0	42	5	4	3	1	25	7	6	1
Harper.....	59	17	35	7	0	38	17	4	0	0	37	4	1	0
Harvey.....	130	38	92	0	0	99	17	6	5	3	45	25	13	9
Haskell.....	28	2	24	2	0	21	1	2	3	1	21	2	2	1
Hodgeman.....	53	4	49	0	0	44	2	4	1	2	34	12	3	0
Jackson.....	124	23	98	3	0	66	41	10	5	2	84	12	3	2
Jefferson.....	82	13	67	2	0	49	12	6	10	5	45	12	10	2
Jewell.....	92	14	77	1	0	68	13	7	3	1	61	12	4	1
Johnson.....	177	51	117	9	0	122	18	22	10	5	85	25	6	10
Kearny.....	35	9	26	0	0	22	6	3	2	2	16	5	3	2
Kingman.....	54	9	40	5	0	41	9	0	4	0	31	9	4	2
Kiowa.....	30	7	20	0	3	20	6	1	1	2	17	3	0	2
Labette.....	132	49	80	3	0	92	14	6	13	7	62	8	7	6
Lane.....	27	0	27	0	0	24	1	0	2	0	9	6	5	2
Leavenworth.....	155	58	97	0	0	103	36	11	3	2	55	13	8	23
Lincoln.....	62	19	42	1	0	48	4	4	6	0	29	11	3	0
Linn.....	63	14	48	1	0	48	5	3	4	3	32	7	7	3
Logan.....	77	9	68	0	0	60	5	7	4	1	31	23	6	8

TABLE I.—CONTINUED. Civil cases (other than divorce) tried on the merits (or dismissed), year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number of cases.	Dis-missed before trial.	Tried to the court.	Tried to the jury.	Trans-ferred federal court.	No answer filed.	Answer filed.				Cases tried.			
							In 30 days.	In 30 to 60 days.	In 60 days to 6 months.	After 6 months.	In 3 after petition.	In 3 to 6 months.	In 6 to 12 months.	After 12 months.
Lyons.....	168	36	127	5	0	112	27	18	9	2	101	19	7	5
Marion.....	71	17	54	0	0	54	5	7	5	0	32	14	8	0
Marshall.....	79	13	62	4	0	45	22	7	4	1	42	16	3	5
McPherson.....	189	97	88	4	0	134	22	20	6	7	67	11	9	5
Meade.....	51	8	43	0	0	43	0	3	5	0	9	25	7	2
Miami.....	137	28	100	9	0	84	31	9	13	0	83	14	7	5
Mitchell.....	68	8	56	4	0	38	11	8	10	1	34	18	6	2
Montgomery.....	240	61	164	14	1	159	20	25	19	17	86	38	40	14
Morris.....	38	5	33	0	0	38	0	0	0	0	21	7	3	2
Morton.....	50	2	47	1	0	47	2	1	0	0	34	8	1	5
Nenaha.....	101	23	73	5	0	70	20	5	3	3	50	21	6	1
Neosho.....	94	10	84	0	0	63	10	9	10	2	57	19	6	2
Ness.....	50	19	26	1	1	43	2	2	3	0	27	6	2	2
Norton.....	61	9	51	1	0	55	4	0	2	0	41	9	1	1
Osage.....	124	21	101	2	0	113	3	5	3	0	75	16	4	8
Osborne.....	56	11	45	0	0	46	6	3	1	0	32	10	3	0
Ottawa.....	20	9	21	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	11	6	2	2
Parnee.....	43	13	28	2	0	39	2	1	0	1	25	4	1	0
Phillips.....	68	12	56	0	0	43	8	7	5	5	46	10	0	0
Pottawatomie.....	110	27	79	4	0	69	21	7	10	3	59	15	7	2
Pratt.....	72	14	53	5	0	53	5	7	2	5	34	11	4	9
Ravins.....	52	9	42	1	0	37	4	7	4	0	28	5	8	2
Reno.....	284	77	198	9	0	182	38	26	27	11	123	32	28	24
Republic.....	18	18	98	2	0	50	12	4	2	0	36	7	5	2
Rice.....	108	33	73	2	0	69	21	14	4	0	56	13	5	1
Riley.....	88	16	69	3	0	64	11	9	2	2	59	5	5	3
Rooks.....	95	10	85	4	0	85	3	0	2	2	61	17	4	3
Rush.....	49	3	46	0	0	46	1	0	2	2	26	10	5	5
Russell.....	162	43	117	2	0	143	5	5	8	1	56	27	5	31
Saline.....	262	118	119	24	1	172	38	37	13	2	96	23	13	11

TABLE I.—CONTINUED. Civil cases (other than divorce) tried on the merits (or dismissed), year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number of cases.	Dis- missed before trial.	Tried to the court.	Tried to the jury.	Trans- ferred to the federal court.	No answer filed.	Answer filed.				Cases tried.			
							In 30 days.	In 30 to 60 days.	In 60 days to 6 months.	After 6 months.	In 3 months after petition.	In 3 to 6 months.	In 6 to 12 months.	After 12 months.
Scott.....	69	9	52	8	0	41	4	9	10	5	27	7	16	10
Sedgwick.....	1,169	351	702	115	1	777	85	140	115	52	450	188	102	77
Seward.....	65	9	50	6	0	53	4	1	6	1	44	5	4	3
Shawnee.....	616	199	377	40	0	404	81	44	60	27	289	74	48	6
Sheridan.....	54	13	41	0	0	41	2	6	2	3	30	10	1	0
Sherman.....	73	9	63	1	0	58	3	3	9	0	35	25	3	1
Smith.....	95	17	75	3	0	71	11	7	5	1	23	41	14	0
Stanton.....	87	24	61	2	0	48	18	13	6	2	44	13	5	1
Stafford.....	35	6	29	0	0	34	0	0	1	0	24	5	0	0
Stevens.....	50	9	40	1	0	41	3	4	0	2	28	6	3	4
Sumner.....	169	56	105	8	0	100	17	15	32	5	65	27	15	6
Thomas.....	60	6	54	0	0	51	5	1	3	0	45	2	4	3
Trego.....	58	8	48	2	0	51	1	2	4	0	7	21	9	13
Wabunsee.....	55	16	35	4	0	28	15	6	4	2	26	7	5	1
Wallace.....	30	0	30	0	0	27	1	1	1	0	18	10	2	0
Washington.....	88	14	70	4	0	72	6	3	5	2	58	9	3	4
Wichita.....	42	4	38	0	0	41	0	0	0	1	31	7	4	0
Wilson.....	85	21	64	0	0	50	14	14	6	1	47	13	0	0
Woodson.....	89	78	10	1	0	86	2	1	79	0	9	1	1	0
Wyandotte.....	1,084	232	783	69	0	526	180	263	79	36	383	118	214	137
Totals.....	11,915	2,991	8,406	508	10	8,361	1,324	1,086	833	311	5,621	1,645	999	649

TABLE I.—CONTINUED. Civil cases (other than divorce) tried on the merits (or dismissed), year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Journal entry.				No journal entry filed.	Costs.		Number cases reported.	Average cost.
	Filed day of trial.	Within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.		Minimum.	Maximum.		
Allen.....	131	1	0	5	17	\$3.25	\$1,200.16	150	\$52.38
Anderson.....	40	0	1	1	17	5.35	484.56	58	43.22
Atchison.....	99	0	0	0	12	3.60	112.50	111	18.88
Barber.....	43	0	8	3	24	3.70	1,783.01	78	24.26
Barton.....	107	1	1	1	2	3.55	516.17	112	25.99
Bourbon.....	138	0	0	0	11	3.85	2,894.85	149	19.43
Brown.....	32	33	24	5	8	4.85	3,190.00	102	52.80
Butler.....	85	15	7	4	58	3.85	4,928.43	169	29.16
Chase.....	20	4	0	2	0	6.95	660.74	26	23.10
Chautauqua.....	10	1	2	12	9	3.05	58.40	33	22.00
Cherokee.....	54	4	7	11	33	4.35	284.75	109	43.18
Cheyenne.....	48	0	0	0	5	4.65	67.70	53	33.87
Clark.....	15	4	4	4	11	3.40	83.55	38	25.15
Clay.....	15	4	3	3	5	5.50	81.76	30	21.74
Cloud.....	42	12	9	6	2	2.40	185.80	71	32.69
Coffey.....	59	0	0	1	9	2.30	173.20	69	37.02
Comanche.....	25	0	0	0	8	5.05	172.73	33	32.21
Cowley.....	152	22	3	3	43	2.70	542.40	222	25.56
Crawford.....	127	9	6	4	65	3.10	197.50	210	18.90
Decatur.....	16	2	4	5	3	4.05	116.13	31	31.03
Dickinson.....	87	7	7	3	21	4.60	458.31	125	59.55
Doniphan.....	16	17	27	13	13	3.05	2,289.00	86	26.61
Douglas.....	86	17	7	8	2	3.40	2,702.28	118	22.90
Edwards.....	44	5	1	2	0	3.85	1,090.76	54	20.20
Elk.....	32	7	0	5	8	3.00	96.05	52	29.50
Ellis.....	113	0	1	1	14	2.00	122.50	129	17.06
Fallsworth.....	40	0	0	0	0	2.25	238.05	40	25.58
Finney.....	90	8	7	12	27	20	255.05	151	23.38
Ford.....	122	19	5	4.05	34	85.00	4,234.99	181	23.39
Franklin.....	74	2	4	2.25	18	122.85	3,170.26	106	3.00

TABLE 1.—CONTINUED. Civil cases (other than divorce) tried on the merits (or dismissed), year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Journal entry.				No journal entry filed.	Costs.			Number cases reported.	Average cost.
	Filed day of trial.	Within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.		Minimum.	Maximum.	Aggregate.		
Geary.....	118	0	0	0	0	\$4.50	\$103.95	\$3,405.65	118	\$28.86
Gove.....	9	8	4	3	2	6.00	55.13	646.90	25	25.84
Graham.....	61	7	6	5	0	2.20	83.56	2,322.58	79	26.17
Grant.....	10	0	0	3	0	3.35	610.40	82.00	22	27.74
Gray.....	45	0	0	0	3	6.25	132.80	1,196.30	48	24.92
Greeley.....	50	0	0	0	9	1.50	145.09	1,653.35	58	28.50
Greenwood.....	65	0	0	1	18	3.25	198.28	2,172.77	85	25.56
Hamilton.....	18	0	7	2	19	2.40	546.35	1,652.44	55	30.04
Harper.....	39	8	6	2	4	4.75	267.93	1,923.38	57	33.75
Harvey.....	74	21	5	13	17	5.05	269.95	3,477.88	130	26.75
Haskell.....	16	4	2	3	3	5.95	125.10	691.20	27	25.60
Hodgeman.....	42	3	4	0	4	2.85	70.83	1,281.18	53	24.17
Jackson.....	92	9	8	7	8	2.20	951.75	3,170.34	124	25.72
Jefferson.....	76	1	0	2	3	4.70	189.10	2,471.52	67	36.88
Jewell.....	49	5	7	5	26	4.05	161.00	3,495.34	92	37.99
Johnson.....	168	2	4	0	3	3.20	136.57	4,347.99	177	24.56
Kearny.....	17	5	3	1	9	2.25	238.57	1,000.50	35	31.43
Kingman.....	42	1	2	2	7	5.00	173.71	1,408.50	54	26.98
Kiowa.....	14	3	0	2	11	3.15	143.16	618.62	30	20.35
Labette.....	84	10	7	10	21	2.50	302.15	3,182.28	123	25.88
Lane.....	19	0	0	3	5	2.85	95.68	397.39	27	14.72
Leavenworth.....	96	1	0	1	57	2.75	217.90	2,332.24	155	15.16
Lincoln.....	31	5	15	5	6	5.50	270.01	2,944.43	63	32.97
Linn.....	42	1	4	2	14	2.05	203.00	1,888.84	63	29.95
Logan.....	64	1	3	5	4	2.05	64.61	1,904.75	77	24.74
Lyon.....	21	1	1	1	144	1.55	132.10	3,109.02	163	19.07
Marion.....	40	8	4	1	18	2.15	507.20	2,425.96	71	34.16
Marshall.....	69	1	0	1	8	4.30	1,151.28	6,856.63	74	86.79
McPherson.....	41	28	13	10	97	2.40	106.16	3,507.29	189	17.85
Meade.....	48	0	0	3	0	4.60	70.35	1,542.57	51	26.32

TABLE I.—CONTINUED. Civil cases (other than divorce) tried on the merits (or dismissed), year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Journal entry.				No journal entry filed.	Costs.			Number cases reported.	Average cost.
	Filed day of trial.	Within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.		Minimum.	Maximum.	Aggregate.		
Miami.....	87	25	17	6	2	\$4.20	\$263.13	\$6,275.85	137	\$45.80
Mitchell.....	95	4	0	24	15	5.10	1,112.80	3,769.95	68	55.44
Montgomery.....	172	20	15	12	20	3.80	6,457.51	18,008.69	240	75.04
Morris.....	32	0	0	0	3	2.10	127.68	1,031.60	38	27.15
Morton.....	45	1	0	1	3	5.05	55.57	1,455.44	47	30.96
Nemaha.....	11	52	10	4	24	5.60	504.47	5,358.03	101	53.05
Neosho.....	57	0	0	0	37	3.45	124.29	2,527.72	94	26.66
Ness.....	39	0	0	0	11	4.80	115.82	1,854.00	50	37.08
Norton.....	34	10	2	6	9	3.10	84.10	1,758.54	61	28.83
Osage.....	113	0	0	0	11	3.80	541.49	4,065.08	124	33.02
Osborne.....	22	8	0	0	26	4.25	134.49	1,680.27	56	30.00
Ottawa.....	25	1	2	0	2	4.35	83.75	799.30	30	26.64
Pawnee.....	30	0	0	1	12	3.75	107.78	937.86	43	21.11
Phillips.....	17	5	4	31	11	2.65	924.04	3,818.78	68	56.16
Pottawatomie.....	99	2	0	0	9	4.05	99.90	3,012.70	110	28.30
Pratt.....	23	9	2	11	27	4.80	161.48	1,836.73	72	25.51
Rawlins.....	7	0	11	10	24	2.35	185.67	1,653.18	52	31.79
Reno.....	218	18	8	7	33	3.75	274.85	6,327.11	284	22.28
Republic.....	37	5	5	12	6	3.70	223.85	1,885.90	68	27.73
Rice.....	85	5	5	5	8	4.20	124.35	2,365.78	108	20.98
Riley.....	60	3	6	8	11	2.50	98.73	2,119.07	88	24.08
Rooks.....	89	0	0	0	6	2.55	683.35	3,145.00	95	33.09
Rush.....	43	0	0	0	6	2.25	275.75	1,628.34	49	33.23
Russell.....	119	0	0	1	42	3.20	190.72	4,530.99	162	27.97
Saline.....	213	19	5	2	23	3.65	443.70	7,659.17	262	29.54

TABLE I.—CONCLUDED. Civil cases (other than divorce) tried on the merits (or dismissed), year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Journal entry.				No journal entry filed.	Costs.			Number cases reported.	Average cost.
	Filed day of trial.	Within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.		Minimum.	Maximum.	Aggregate.		
Scott.....	32	12	3	8	14	\$1.10	\$77.50	\$998.12	53	\$18.83
Sedgwick.....	924	100	65	46	34	3.35	242.25	29,819.12	1,169	25.58
Shawnee.....	585	28	1	4	0	4.25	41.00	1,077.40	65	16.58
Sheridan.....	39	1	0	1	13	3.40	914.07	12,035.63	616	19.54
						2.35	139.02	2,646.33	55	48.11
Sherman.....	54	3	4	2	10	6.55	110.05	2,863.16	70	40.90
Smith.....	68	4	2	0	21	3.80	1,100.20	4,109.26	95	43.26
Stafford.....	41	6	3	7	30	2.25	405.16	2,057.10	87	23.04
Stanton.....	25	4	2	4	0	.75	50.20	735.45	35	20.95
Stevens.....	11	9	14	9	7	3.95	76.00	1,085.60	50	21.71
Sumner.....	96	27	8	4	34	3.90	399.20	5,207.68	169	30.81
Thomas.....	48	2	5	5	3	6.25	1,324.24	3,115.93	14	222.56
Trego.....	0	57	0	1	0	1.10	129.85	1,264.70	58	21.80
Wabunsee.....	34	3	0	5	13	3.80	144.90	1,851.66	55	33.67
Wallace.....	19	3	2	6	0	4.05	99.63	1,047.60	30	34.92
Washington.....	49	8	7	14	10	3.20	436.10	6,494.86	88	73.80
Wichita.....	40	0	0	0	2	3.50	60.30	1,287.80	42	30.66
Wilson.....	46	15	1	2	21	4.15	1,700.00	7,197.11	85	84.67
Woodson.....	58	0	0	1	0	*				
Wyandotte.....	718	100	7	11	248	6.10	121.00	18,903.07	1,084	17.44
Totals.....	8,201	918	466	489	1,841	\$0.20	\$6,457.51	\$342,074.59	11,719	\$29.19

\* Costs not reported.



TABLE II.—SUMMARY, DISTRICT COURTS. CIVIL CASES (OTHER THAN DIVORCE)  
PENDING JULY 1, 1938

(Compiled from Form 2)

COUNTIES.	Civil actions pending 7-1-'38.	Pending less than 3 months.	3 to 6 months.	6 to 12 months.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	Over 5 years.
Allen.....	87	18	15	14	8	9	6	8	9
Anderson.....	49	10	5	17	5	2	5	2	3
Atchison.....	134	32	9	10	22	23	16	7	15
Barber.....	39	17	3	6	7	4	1	1	0
Barton.....	73	30	21	10	10	2	0	0	0
Bourbon.....	152	24	12	13	23	26	15	4	35
Brown.....	48	18	8	5	8	8	1	0	0
Butler.....	118	30	21	22	19	8	2	6	10
Chase.....	14	8	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
Chautauqua.....	19	12	4	3	0	0	0	0	0
Cherokee.....	141	25	20	31	22	14	3	5	21
Cheyenne.....	11	0	0	0	8	2	0	1	0
Clark.....	25	7	0	4	12	1	0	1	0
Clay.....	19	8	4	3	2	1	0	0	1
Cloud.....	25	14	5	3	3	0	0	0	0
Coffey.....	22	18	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Comanche.....	14	5	2	1	4	0	2	0	0
Cowley.....	130	31	29	28	22	12	3	2	3
Crawford.....	233	35	22	43	43	28	16	13	33
Decatur.....	19	11	6	2	0	0	0	0	0
Dickinson.....	36	24	6	2	3	1	0	0	0
Doniphan.....	36	12	4	3	8	8	1	0	0
Douglas.....	55	27	10	10	6	2	0	0	0
Edwards.....	12	6	3	0	1	1	1	0	0
Elk.....	18	6	10	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ellis.....	96	19	22	27	21	6	1	0	0
Ellsworth.....	23	12	6	2	2	0	0	0	1
Finney.....	50	14	11	12	4	4	2	0	3
Ford.....	58	16	6	11	15	9	1	0	0
Franklin.....	48	28	9	10	1	0	0	0	0
Geary.....	22	18	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
Gove.....	31	15	5	6	3	0	0	0	2
Graham.....	62	22	12	8	11	8	0	0	1
Grant.....	6	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gray.....	18	9	6	2	1	0	0	0	0
Greeley.....	20	5	6	5	3	1	0	0	0
Greenwood.....	90	57	21	5	2	2	1	1	1
Hamilton.....	26	11	4	3	5	0	1	1	1
Harper.....	11	5	1	3	1	1	0	0	0
Harvey.....	64	29	13	8	8	4	1	0	1
Haskell.....	6	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hodgeman.....	20	6	2	1	6	3	2	0	0
Jackson.....	51	26	4	7	4	4	5	1	0
Jefferson.....	52	21	5	9	1	3	4	4	5
Jewell.....	36	24	4	5	3	0	0	0	0
Johnson.....	116	50	21	12	16	12	3	2	0
Kearny.....	20	7	1	6	2	2	1	0	1
Kingman.....	17	8	4	2	3	0	0	0	0
Kiowa.....	15	4	3	3	2	3	0	0	0
Labette.....	30	12	3	7	7	1	0	0	0
Lane.....	16	5	3	4	1	2	1	0	0
Leavenworth.....	124	47	31	46	0	0	0	0	0
Lincoln.....	28	8	8	9	3	0	0	0	0
Linn.....	63	16	10	11	8	8	3	1	6
Logan.....	12	6	3	1	1	1	0	0	0

TABLE II.—CONCLD. Summary, district courts. Civil cases (other than divorce) pending July 1, 1938

COUNTIES.	Civil actions pending 7-1-'38.	Pending less than 3 months.	3 to 6 months.	6 to 12 months.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	Over 5 years.
Lyon.....	93	30	14	17	17	8	7	0	0
Marion.....	49	11	32	4	1	1	0	0	0
Marshall.....	36	12	11	10	2	1	0	0	0
McPherson.....	72	32	18	7	8	5	2	0	0
Meade.....	31	18	2	4	4	1	0	1	1
Miami.....	53	23	7	12	5	1	2	2	1
Mitchell.....	31	6	5	10	6	2	2	0	0
Montgomery.....	73	17	18	10	20	5	0	0	3
Morris.....	19	10	4	2	3	0	0	0	0
Morton.....	15	9	2	1	2	1	0	0	0
Nemaha.....	30	16	10	3	1	0	0	0	0
Neosho.....	69	18	14	13	13	5	0	0	6
Ness.....	31	12	9	6	1	0	0	0	3
Norton.....	28	18	4	4	0	0	2	0	0
Osage.....	46	23	12	5	2	4	0	0	0
Osborne.....	26	16	5	2	3	0	0	0	0
Ottawa.....	10	2	3	2	0	1	0	1	1
Pawnee.....	20	5	5	4	3	1	0	0	2
Phillips.....	33	12	8	5	4	1	2	1	0
Pottawatomie.....	37	18	2	7	5	0	3	0	2
Pratt.....	53	15	7	13	10	2	5	0	1
Rawlins.....	17	7	3	2	4	1	0	0	0
Reno.....	160	42	30	43	23	6	9	0	7
Republic.....	21	11	3	4	3	0	0	0	0
Rice.....	46	8	17	12	6	2	0	1	0
Riley.....	39	22	1	3	5	7	0	1	0
Rooks.....	54	21	10	9	10	2	0	2	0
Rush.....	20	5	5	7	0	0	3	0	0
Russell.....	99	30	22	13	26	5	0	3	0
Saline.....	159	27	19	20	41	9	6	8	29
Scott.....	22	10	4	4	2	0	2	0	0
Sedgwick.....	646	182	136	117	90	51	48	18	4
Seward.....	29	12	6	1	6	2	1	0	1
Shawnee.....	170	93	33	17	16	4	3	1	3
Sheridan.....	24	9	4	3	5	1	2	0	0
Sherman.....	33	13	10	4	2	1	2	0	1
Smith.....	34	17	6	8	3	0	0	0	0
Stafford.....	39	18	10	5	1	2	2	1	0
Stanton.....	13	5	2	0	4	2	0	0	0
Stevens.....	22	6	3	5	2	4	1	0	1
Sumner.....	76	19	9	11	18	11	6	2	0
Thomas.....	22	15	0	4	2	1	0	0	0
Trego.....	27	12	4	4	4	2	1	0	0
Wabaunsee.....	19	9	2	2	4	1	0	0	1
Wallace.....	9	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washington.....	36	19	4	9	2	2	0	0	0
Wichita.....	9	4	3	0	0	1	0	0	1
Wilson.....	47	19	7	12	9	0	0	0	0
Woodson.....	32	17	3	12	0	0	0	0	0
Wyandotte.....	2,023	221	139	487	282	263	199	284	148
Totals.....	4,897	1,232	706	976	692	429	313	327	222

TABLE III.—SUMMARY, DISTRICT COURTS, DIVORCE CASES TRIED ON MERITS (OR DISMISSED) YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938  
(Compiled from Form 3)

COUNTIES.	Total number cases.	Cases dismissed.	Divorces granted to wives.	Divorces granted to husbands.	Divorces denied.	Divorce cases contested.	Disposition of minor children.			Trial.		
							Awarded to wives.	Awarded to husbands.	Other disposition.	In 60 days of petition.	In 60 days to 6 months.	After 6 months.
Allen.....	39	10	19	8	2	3	19	0	0	2	24	3
Anderson.....	18	12	13	3	0	0	10	1	0	0	15	1
Atchison.....	51	11	31	9	0	4	18	2	0	0	31	9
Barber.....	16	3	11	2	0	0	9	1	0	0	7	6
Barton.....	56	9	37	10	0	2	19	3	0	10	34	3
Bourbon.....	43	6	26	5	6	6	26	2	0	1	32	4
Brown.....	18	5	7	6	0	2	3	4	0	0	10	3
Butler.....	122	52	53	17	0	13	36	9	0	6	52	12
Chase.....	6	2	2	1	1	2	10	0	0	1	3	0
Chautauqua.....	24	4	9	10	1	0	5	2	0	1	17	2
Cherokee.....	119	27	77	14	1	6	45	6	0	9	69	14
Cheyenne*.....	8	0	6	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	6	2
Clark.....	24	3	17	4	0	0	13	7	0	2	18	1
Clay.....	32	10	17	4	1	5	20	4	0	0	21	1
Cloud.....												
Coffey.....	20	0	11	9	0	0	15	11	0	3	13	4
Comanche.....	6	2	3	1	0	0	4	0	0	1	3	0
Cowley.....	182	40	111	31	0	0	93	8	1	7	125	10
Crawford.....	160	47	94	19	0	9	18	0	0	9	90	14
Decatur.....	4	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Dickinson.....	33	9	19	5	0	0	18	0	2	0	22	2
Doniphan.....	20	6	10	3	1	0	4	0	4	0	14	0
Douglas.....	79	17	47	15	0	14	54	9	0	3	53	6
Edwards.....	14	2	11	1	0	0	14	0	0	0	11	1
Elk.....	13	4	8	1	0	4	9	0	0	0	8	1

TABLE III.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Divorce cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Total number cases.	Cases dismissed.	Divorces granted to wives.	Divorces granted to husbands.	Divorces denied.	Divorce cases contested.	Disposition of minor children.			Trial.		
							Awarded to wives.	Awarded to husbands.	Other disposition.	In 60 days of petition.	In 60 days to 6 months.	After 6 months.
Ellis.....	16	3	9	4	0	2	6	0	0	2	11	0
Ellsworth.....	16	7	8	1	1	1	4	0	0	0	9	1
Finey.....	29	7	19	3	0	3	27	0	0	3	16	3
Ford.....	67	17	43	7	0	0	21	0	0	0	43	7
Franklin.....	42	15	23	4	0	3	12	3	0	0	24	3
Geary.....	42	11	23	8	0	0	19	1	0	0	30	1
Grove.....	3	0	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	1
Graham.....	11	2	6	3	0	0	10	1	0	0	7	2
Grant.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Gray.....	9	1	7	1	0	0	8	0	0	1	7	0
Greeley.....	5	0	4	1	0	0	1	3	0	3	2	0
Greenwood.....	12	2	6	4	0	1	7	0	0	0	10	0
Hamilton.....	10	3	7	0	0	0	7	0	0	1	5	1
Harper.....	17	3	13	1	0	2	11	1	0	1	12	1
Harvey.....	48	10	30	8	0	3	19	0	0	5	29	4
Haskell.....	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0
Hodgeman.....	7	1	4	2	0	1	8	1	0	0	5	1
Jackson.....	21	6	10	5	0	4	11	0	0	0	14	1
Jefferson.....	26	3	17	6	0	2	17	1	0	1	22	0
Jewell.....	15	0	12	3	0	1	9	0	0	0	11	4
Johnson.....	75	15	38	21	1	0	26	18	0	1	55	4
Kearny.....	8	1	3	4	0	0	2	1	0	0	7	0
Kingman.....	11	3	5	2	1	2	5	0	0	0	7	1
Kiowa.....	9	2	5	2	0	1	5	5	0	1	4	2
Labette.....	111	30	65	16	0	11	54	8	0	1	74	6
Lane.....	3	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	1
Leavenworth.....	97	16	57	24	0	0	36	3	0	7	68	6
Lincoln.....	8	1	7	0	0	0	7	0	0	1	6	0
Linn.....	16	2	10	3	1	2	14	1	0	3	9	2
Logan.....	8	0	6	2	0	0	13	0	0	1	7	0

TABLE III.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Divorce cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Total number cases.	Cases dismissed.	Divorces granted to wives.	Divorces granted to husbands.	Divorces denied.	Divorce cases contested.	Disposition of minor children.			Trial.		
							Awarded to wives.	Awarded to husbands.	Other disposition.	In 60 days of petition.	In 60 days to 6 months.	After 6 months.
Lyon.....	66	9	42	14	1	5	39	13	0	1	51	5
Marion.....	19	7	4	6	2	4	10	0	1	0	10	2
Marshall.....	28	6	17	5	0	8	21	7	0	0	19	3
McPherson.....	52	20	28	4	0	0	29	0	0	3	26	3
Meade.....	7	1	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1
Miami.....	75	23	40	12	0	3	28	0	0	2	44	6
Mitchell.....	16	3	9	4	0	2	4	2	0	0	11	2
Montgomery.....	189	57	111	21	0	15	70	4	0	10	104	18
Morris.....	12	4	3	5	0	0	1	5	0	1	7	0
Morton.....	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Nemaha.....	12	3	8	1	0	2	12	0	0	0	7	2
Neosho.....	67	15	39	13	0	9	26	6	0	5	39	8
Ness.....	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0
Norton.....	26	1	19	0	0	1	9	1	0	2	23	0
Osage.....	22	5	12	4	1	3	4	3	0	1	16	0
Osborne.....	16	4	10	2	0	2	10	4	0	0	11	1
Ottawa.....	8	2	5	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	3	3
Pawnee.....	29	10	15	1	0	1	11	4	0	1	18	0
Phillips.....	13	2	5	3	1	0	3	4	0	0	11	0
Pottawatomie.....	16	2	10	3	1	3	9	5	0	0	12	2
Pratt.....	43	15	24	4	0	0	27	0	0	0	28	0
Rawlins.....	8	2	4	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	6	0
Reno.....	251	79	134	38	0	1	95	7	0	19	135	18
Republic.....	18	7	7	4	0	0	2	5	0	1	9	1
Rice.....	56	17	25	14	0	1	0	0	0	1	36	2
Riley.....	44	10	26	8	0	0	21	0	0	0	29	5
Rooks.....	16	2	6	8	0	0	9	4	0	1	13	0
Rush.....	11	1	9	4	0	0	4	4	0	1	9	0
Russell.....	56	16	32	8	0	1	14	4	0	2	24	14
Saline.....	115	14	85	14	2	6	59	14	1	7	78	16

TABLE III.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Divorce cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Total number cases.	Cases dismissed.	Divorces granted to wives.	Divorces granted to husbands.	Divorces denied.	Divorce cases contested.	Disposition of minor children.			Trial.		
							Awarded to wives.	Awarded to husbands.	Other disposition.	In 60 days of petition.	In 60 days to 6 months.	After 6 months.
Scott.....	8	1	6	1	0	0	1	3	0	1	5	1
Sedgwick.....	1,058	428	509	120	1	45	338	36	12	81	441	108
Seward.....	18	4	10	4	0	0	11	0	0	1	13	0
Shawnee.....	563	210	268	82	3	61	170	33	8	42	293	18
Sheridan.....	3	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0
Sherman.....	18	5	8	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	11	0
Smith.....	18	3	10	5	0	3	10	0	0	0	13	2
Stafford.....	28	10	14	4	0	0	11	2	2	3	14	1
Stanton.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stevens.....	9	4	3	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	5	0
Sumner.....	90	27	52	11	0	4	44	6	1	2	57	4
Thomas.....	6	0	4	2	0	0	9	1	0	0	5	1
Trego.....	11	1	8	2	0	0	13	3	†	1	7	2
Wabunsee.....	8	4	3	1	0	1	2	0	†	0	4	0
Wallace.....	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Washington.....	9	2	5	2	0	0	5	0	0	0	3	4
Wichita.....	4	1	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	0
Wilson.....	52	18	19	15	0	6	19	1	0	2	29	3
Woodson.....	8	0	8	0	0	0	2	0	†	0	8	0
Wyandotte.....	514	49	367	95	3	3	258	12	0	17	347	101
Totals.....	5,576	1,539	3,119	886	32	301	2,248	308	49	297	3,232	508

\* No report.

† Each part time.

TABLE III.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Divorce cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

Grounds.										Cost.				
COUNTIES.	Gross neglect of duty.	Extreme cruelty.	Abandonment.	Adultery.	Non-support.	Habitual drunkenness.	Conviction of a felony.	In-sanity.	Miscellaneous.	Minimum cost.	Maximum cost.	Number cases reporting costs.	Aggregate cost.	Average cost.
Allen.....	11	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	5	\$3.35	\$114.20	39	\$376.57	\$9.66
Anderson.....	9	2	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	5.00	60.10	18	328.35	18.24
Atchison.....	30	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.50	76.55	51	517.32	10.04
Barber.....	3	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.00	16.95	16	162.24	10.14
Barton.....	8	27	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.70	20.35	56	366.98	6.55
Bourbon.....	20	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.80	50.00	43	476.45	11.08
Brown.....	7	2	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	4.90	63.05	18	226.47	12.80
Butler.....	30	15	5	0	6	0	0	0	4	2.60	225.85	122	1,292.37	10.59
Chase.....	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.80	11.70	6	50.30	8.38
Chautauqua...	2	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3.95	36.10	23	191.40	8.32
Cherokee.....	24	38	2	2	0	3	0	0	1	4.20	58.70	119	1,513.03	12.71
Cheyenne*	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clark.....	0	4	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	3.70	10.50	8	42.95	5.37
Clay.....	1	16	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.30	14.85	24	204.77	8.53
Cloud.....	3	9	7	0	0	2	0	0	0	3.80	32.05	32	329.28	10.29
Coffey.....	0	10	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	3.45	112.15	20	363.31	18.16
Comanche.....	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.75	11.00	6	35.00	5.83
Cowley.....	62	53	23	0	0	0	4	0	0	3.10	54.35	182	1,643.52	9.03
Crawford.....	24	70	18	0	0	0	1	0	0	4.25	19.75	160	1,330.35	8.31
Decatur.....	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.60	7.90	4	23.30	5.82
Dickinson.....	7	10	4	0	0	2	0	0	1	2.90	18.20	33	220.92	6.97
Doniphan.....	11	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5.80	17.35	18	182.00	10.11
Douglas.....	40	7	11	0	0	0	3	0	1	3.20	50.25	79	568.99	7.20
Edwards.....	4	1	5	0	0	1	1	0	0	3.70	15.34	14	122.50	8.75
Elk.....	0	4	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	3.60	10.15	12	75.55	6.30
Ellis.....	7	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	3.40	9.45	16	91.37	5.71
Ellsworth.....	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	3.80	11.90	16	112.69	7.04
Finney.....	8	8	3	0	0	0	2	0	1	5.00	12.95	29	219.30	7.82
Ford.....	21	9	17	0	0	1	0	0	0	3.40	23.30	67	530.61	7.92
Franklin.....	15	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	3.25	39.30	42	353.73	8.42

TABLE III.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Divorce cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTRIES.	Grounds.							Cost.						
	Gross neglect of duty.	Extreme cruelty.	Aban- don- ment.	Adul- tery.	Non- support.	Hab- itual drunk- enness.	Con- viction of a felony.	In- sanity.	Miscel- laneous.	Minimum cost.	Maximum cost.	Number cases reporting costs.	Aggregate cost.	Average cost.
Geary.....	2	11	17	1	0	0	0	0	0	\$4.20	\$13.50	42	\$319.95	\$7.62
Gove.....	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	6.20	195.91	3	209.01	69.67
Graham.....	1	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	2.40	9.15	11	51.25	4.66
Grant.....	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.70	3.70	1	3.70	3.70
Gray.....	1	2	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	3.65	29.60	8	75.50	9.44
Greeley.....	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.30	13.75	5	36.60	7.32
Greenwood.....	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	4.65	19.60	12	105.65	8.80
Hamilton.....	3	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.75	12.75	10	81.75	8.17
Harper.....	1	9	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.50	11.45	18	133.79	7.43
Harvey.....	15	12	8	0	0	0	3	0	0	4.75	16.90	48	411.14	8.56
Haskell.....	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.40	6.05	3	15.60	5.23
Hodgeman.....	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.20	126.95	7	154.75	22.10
Jackson.....	5	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.15	75.65	21	225.30	10.73
Jefferson.....	6	11	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	5.05	18.70	19	200.82	10.57
Jewell.....	2	9	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	5.45	55.40	15	219.88	14.66
Johnson.....	33	10	14	0	0	1	1	0	0	3.35	80.45	75	876.08	11.68
Kearny.....	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.80	10.52	8	72.81	9.10
Kingman.....	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	3.90	33.95	11	138.62	12.60
Kiowa.....	2	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.65	35.05	9	89.00	9.90
Labette.....	21	35	17	0	0	2	1	0	5	2.65	24.75	111	1,030.80	9.29
Lane.....	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.85	19.14	3	32.19	10.73
Leavenworth.....	58	6	16	0	0	0	0	0	1	5.10	22.20	97	727.10	7.19
Lincoln.....	2	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5.75	11.15	8	65.20	8.15
Linn.....	4	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.40	8.90	16	103.79	6.49
Logan.....	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5.25	58.10	8	105.35	13.17
Lyon.....	7	35	12	0	0	0	0	0	2	2.90	30.20	66	462.25	7.00
Marion.....	9	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3.15	92.80	19	263.70	13.88
Marshall.....	0	3	15	4	0	0	0	0	0	4.40	53.65	28	429.05	15.35
McPherson.....	10	12	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.15	43.40	52	355.63	6.84
Meade.....	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.70	10.60	7	51.00	7.29



TABLE III.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Divorce cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Grounds.							Cost.						
	Gross neglect of duty.	Extreme cruelty.	Abandonment.	Adultery.	Non-support.	Habitual drunkenness.	Conviction of a felony.	Insanity.	Miscellaneous.	Minimum cost.	Maximum cost.	Number cases reporting costs.	Aggregate cost.	Average cost.
Miami.....	28	13	10	0	0	0	1	0	0	\$3.10	\$128.20	75	\$1,694.43	\$22.63
Mitchell.....	11	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.30	88.00	16	209.55	13.09
Montgomery.....	27	63	25	2	4	3	2	0	6	3.70	68.50	189	1,702.51	9.01
Morris.....	1	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.05	8.40	12	59.60	4.96
Morton.....	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.50	3.50	1	3.50	3.50
Nemaha.....	6	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	5.90	63.35	9	206.00	22.90
Neosho.....	18	21	12	0	1	0	0	0	0	3.00	58.20	67	748.35	11.17
Ness.....	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5.10	9.05	2	14.15	7.08
Norton.....	9	6	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	3.55	14.18	26	183.61	7.06
Osage.....	0	9	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	3.95	17.15	22	188.83	8.58
Osborne.....	0	11	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5.60	71.22	12	163.25	13.60
Ottawa.....	0	3	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	6.35	13.90	8	79.90	9.99
Pawnee.....	15	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	3.50	35.90	29	218.74	7.54
Phillips.....	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.00	14.75	13	100.10	7.70
Pottawatomie.....	0	8	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	4.65	46.52	16	240.92	15.06
Pratt.....	8	14	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.15	16.98	43	376.43	8.75
Rawlins.....	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	5.10	16.37	8	78.19	9.80
Reno.....	82	40	43	0	0	3	4	0	0	3.65	269.60	251	6,311.32	25.14
Republic.....	2	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.70	9.60	18	121.78	6.76
Rice.....	11	15	12	0	0	0	0	0	1	2.50	17.20	39	426.05	10.92
Riley.....	10	17	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.25	14.75	44	300.06	6.82
Rooks.....	0	1	11	0	2	0	0	0	0	3.55	10.60	16	112.10	7.00
Rush.....	3	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.00	8.70	11	68.05	6.19
Russell.....	15	12	9	0	0	4	0	0	0	2.70	19.85	56	450.34	8.04
Saline.....	41	40	16	0	1	0	0	0	1	3.35	236.72	115	1,244.37	10.85
Scott.....	1	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	2.65	7.15	7	30.70	4.40
Sedgewick.....	314	230	67	2	3	4	4	0	6	3.30	243.50	1,058	10,979.12	10.38
Seward.....	2	6	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	3.65	13.05	18	136.45	7.58
Shawnee.....	231	66	47	0	0	1	4	0	1	2.50	156.50	571	10,644.13	18.90
Sheridan.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4.35	25.25	3	35.30	11.77

TABLE III.—CONCLUDED. Summary, district courts. Divorce cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Grounds.							Cost.						
	Gross neglect of duty.	Extreme cruelty.	Abandonment.	Adultery.	Non-support.	Habitual drunkenness.	Conviction of a felony.	In-sanity.	Miscellaneous.	Minimum cost.	Maximum cost.	Number cases reporting costs.	Aggregate cost.	Average cost.
Sherman.....	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	9	\$4.75	\$20.25	18	\$136.94	\$7.60
Smith.....	8	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	1	3.20	17.35	18	154.10	8.56
Stafford.....	15	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.45	69.85	28	270.40	9.65
Stanton.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5.45	5.45	1	5.45	5.45
Stevens.....	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.50	7.05	9	39.25	4.36
Sumner.....	48	6	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.80	29.35	90	886.62	9.85
Thomas.....	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.20	10.65	6	41.31	5.22
Trego.....	8	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.00	52.70	11	138.06	12.55
Wabunsee.....	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	8.05	37.85	8	112.65	14.08
Wallace.....	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.60	6.75	3	15.95	5.32
Washington.....	1	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.40	13.96	9	74.42	8.27
Wichita.....	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.25	11.35	4	32.00	8.00
Wilson.....	9	14	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	3.05	45.55	52	482.23	9.27
Woodson.....	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3.70	9.25	8	49.90	6.24
Wyandotte.....	1	373	73	1	0	7	5	0	2	7.00	98.25	514	6,015.27	11.70
Totals.....	1,478	1,513	820	17	28	40	46	0	63	\$1.75	\$269.60	5,548	\$54,585.26	\$10.30

\*No report.

TABLE IV.—SUMMARY, DISTRICT COURTS. DIVORCE CASES PENDING  
JULY 1, 1938

(Compiled from Form 4)

COUNTIES.	Number of cases.	Pending less than 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months.	From 1 to 2 years.	More than 2 years.
Allen.....	32	11	7	10	2	2
Anderson.....	23	3	3	5	3	9
Atchison.....	101	10	3	19	22	47
Barber.....	8	4	2	2	0	0
Barton.....	29	14	6	7	2	0
Bourbon.....	66	10	6	12	17	21
Brown.....	12	5	0	5	0	2
Butler.....	68	26	10	10	14	8
Chase.....	7	3	1	1	1	1
Chautauqua.....	11	3	3	5	0	0
Cherokee.....	98	21	8	18	20	31
Cheyenne.....	3	1	0	1	0	1
Clark.....	8	3	2	1	2	0
Clay.....	6	4	0	1	1	0
Cloud.....	11	6	2	2	1	0
Coffey.....	10	4	1	0	1	4
Comanche.....	3	1	1	1	0	0
Cowley.....	58	36	13	9	0	0
Crawford.....	157	43	14	18	35	47
Decatur.....	5	4	0	1	0	0
Dickinson.....	8	6	1	0	1	0
Doniphan.....	8	2	1	0	0	5
Douglas.....	27	16	8	2	1	0
Edwards.....	3	3	0	0	0	0
Elk.....	5	3	1	1	0	0
Ellis.....	10	5	3	2	0	0
Ellsworth.....	6	3	3	0	0	0
Finney.....	21	13	3	4	1	0
Ford.....	33	6	8	6	12	1
Franklin.....	24	11	9	3	1	0
Geary.....	8	4	2	1	1	0
Gove.....	0	0	0	0	0	0
Graham.....	2	1	0	0	1	0
Grant.....	1	0	0	1	0	0
Gray.....	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greeley.....	2	2	0	0	0	0
Greenwood.....	33	13	2	10	6	2
Hamilton.....	1	0	1	0	0	0
Harper.....	8	7	0	1	0	0
Harvey.....	23	10	12	1	0	0
Haskell.....	1	0	0	0	1	0
Hodgeman.....	1	0	0	0	0	1
Jackson.....	10	6	1	2	1	0
Jefferson.....	11	8	1	0	2	0
Jewell.....	4	3	0	0	1	0
Johnson.....	30	16	5	4	3	2
Kearny.....	2	1	1	0	0	0
Kingman.....	3	3	0	0	0	0
Kiowa.....	3	1	0	2	0	0
Labette.....	37	26	8	3	0	0
Lane.....	2	1	0	1	0	0
Leavenworth.....	136	65	28	43	0	0
Lincoln.....	0	0	0	0	0	0
Linn.....	13	8	1	2	1	1
Logan.....	2	2	0	0	0	0

TABLE IV.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Divorce cases pending July 1, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number of cases.	Pending less than 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months.	From 1 to 2 years.	More than 2 years.
Lyon.....	37	14	4	13	6	0
Marion.....	5	4	0	1	0	0
Marshall.....	7	6	1	0	0	0
McPherson.....	31	11	4	7	7	2
Meade.....	4	2	0	0	2	0
Miami.....	20	12	1	5	1	1
Mitchell.....	9	3	0	4	2	0
Montgomery.....	78	48	10	8	8	4
Morris.....	8	7	1	0	0	0
Morton.....	7	5	2	0	0	0
Nemaha.....	7	4	3	0	0	0
Neosho.....	55	17	6	4	13	15
Ness.....	2	1	1	1	1	0
Norton.....	8	3	1	0	1	0
Osage.....	4	4	0	0	0	0
Osborne.....	2	2	0	0	0	0
Ottawa.....	4	3	0	1	0	0
Pawnee.....	5	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips.....	6	3	1	2	0	0
Pottawatomie.....	2	2	0	0	0	0
Pratt.....	13	6	5	2	0	0
Rawlins.....	4	3	0	1	0	0
Reno.....	130	50	13	42	24	1
Republic.....	3	2	0	0	0	0
Rice.....	17	7	3	6	1	0
Riley.....	15	7	1	0	5	2
Rooks.....	2	2	0	0	0	0
Rush.....	7	2	3	1	0	1
Russell.....	28	10	5	6	6	1
Saline.....	152	20	8	12	29	83
Scott.....	5	4	1	0	0	0
Sedgwick.....	480	236	113	85	44	2
Seward.....	10	9	0	0	1	1
Shawnee.....	112	92	16	2	1	1
Sheridan.....	1	0	0	1	0	0
Sherman.....	9	5	1	1	2	0
Smith.....	7	4	1	2	0	0
Stafford.....	9	4	1	4	0	0
Stanton.....	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stevens.....	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sumner.....	75	26	7	14	10	18
Thomas.....	3	3	0	0	0	0
Trego.....	2	2	0	0	0	0
Wabaunsee.....	5	5	0	0	0	0
Wallace.....	1	1	0	0	0	0
Washington.....	9	7	0	2	0	0
Wichita.....	1	0	0	1	0	0
Wilson.....	27	14	4	6	3	0
Woodson.....	5	4	0	1	0	0
Wyandotte.....	1,908	182	126	225	376	999
Totals.....	3,343	866	343	460	542	1,132

TABLE V.—SUMMARY, DISTRICT COURTS. CRIMINAL CASES TRIED ON MERITS (OR DISMISSED) YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938  
(Compiled from Form 5)

COUNTIES.	Total number cases.	Cases dis- missed.	Pleas of guilty.	Cases tried to jury.	Verdicts of guilty.	Verdicts of not guilty.	Hung jury.	Verdict of insane.	Cases tried after information filed.					
									In 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	In 30 days to 3 months.	In 3 to 6 months.	In 6 months to 1 year.	After 1 year.
Allen.....	25	11	10	4	4	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0
Anderson.....	12	3	7	2	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Atchison.....	28	12	14	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Barber.....	10	2	7	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Barton.....	41	13	22	6	3	3	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	1
Bourbon.....	22	2	19	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Brown.....	12	3	7	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0
Butler.....	60	21	35	4	0	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	2	0
Chase.....	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chautauqua.....	7	0	6	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Cherokee.....	21	6	12	3	2	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
Cheyenne.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clark.....	10	1	8	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Clay.....	10	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cloud.....	19	6	9	4	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0
Coffey.....	15	0	14	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Comanche.....	15	6	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cowley.....	58	17	32	9	5	4	0	0	0	1	5	2	1	0
Crawford.....	54	28	19	7	3	3	0	1	0	1	2	0	1	0
Decatur.....	3	0	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dickinson.....	11	1	9	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Doniphan.....	13	2	9	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Douglas.....	19	4	13	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Edwards.....	9	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE V.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Criminal cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTRIES.	Total number cases.	Cases dismissed.	Pleas of guilty.	Cases tried to jury.	Verdicts of guilty.	Verdicts of not guilty.	Hung jury.	Verdict of insane.	Cases tried after information filed.					
									In 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	In 30 days to 3 months.	In 3 to 6 months.	In 6 months to 1 year.	After 1 year.
Ellis.....	21	9	9	3	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Ellsworth.....	13	3	4	6	3	3	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0
Finney.....	35	14	19	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Ford.....	33	5	25	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0
Franklin.....	16	5	4	7	4	2	1	0	4	0	0	2	1	0
Geary.....	29	6	14	9	2	6	1	0	2	4	3	0	0	0
Gove.....	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Graham.....	7	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grant.....	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gray.....	7	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greeley.....	17	4	11	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Greenwood.....	16	6	9	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Hamilton.....	20	7	8	5	2	3	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0
Harper.....	30	7	21	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Harvey.....	8	3	1	4	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	0
Haskell.....	4	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hodgeman.....	27	6	18	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Jackson.....	20	9	14	7	6	1	0	0	0	0	5	2	0	0
Jefferson.....	15	1	13	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Jewell.....	56	18	31	7	4	2	1	0	1	3	3	0	0	0
Johnson.....	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kearny.....	12	7	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Kingman.....	13	0	12	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kiowa.....	28	12	17	9	7	2	0	0	0	3	3	1	2	0
Labette.....	4	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Lane.....	113	88	15	10	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Leavenworth.....	4	3	1	4	0	2	0	0	4	2	3	0	0	1
Lincoln.....	14	4	4	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Linn.....	10	4	4	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	2	0
Logan.....	10	4	4	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0

TABLE V.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Criminal cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Total number cases.	Cases dismissed.	Pleas of guilty.	Cases tried to jury.	Verdicts of guilty.	Verdicts of not guilty.	Hung jury.	Verdict of insane.	Cases tried after information filed.					
									In 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	In 30 days to 3 months.	In 3 to 6 months.	In 6 months to 1 year.	After 1 year.
Lyon.....	30	7	21	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Marion.....	13	2	10	1	3	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0
Marshall.....	16	4	9	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McPherson.....	40	13	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Meade.....	6	1	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miami.....	12	1	8	3	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0
Mitchell.....	18	4	11	3	1	2	3	0	0	2	3	1	1	0
Montgomery.....	114	33	62	19	11	5	0	0	8	6	0	0	0	0
Morris.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Morton.....	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nemaha.....	27	8	17	2	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Neosho.....	36	11	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ness.....	7	2	2	3	1	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0
Norton.....	9	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Osage.....	16	3	11	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Osborne.....	5	1	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Ottawa.....	9	1	6	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Pawnee.....	9	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips.....	7	1	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Pottawatomie.....	16	5	10	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Pratt.....	9	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rawlins.....	5	1	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Reno.....	108	58	91	19	13	5	1	0	0	2	6	4	6	1
Republic.....	18	2	14	2	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Rice.....	30	5	16	9	6	3	0	0	8	0	0	1	0	0
Riley.....	21	10	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rooks.....	15	3	10	2	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Rush.....	9	1	7	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Russell.....	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saline.....	37	9	22	6	4	2	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0

TABLE V.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Criminal cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Total number cases.	Cases dis- missed.	Plea of guilty.	Cases tried to jury.	Verdicts of guilty.	Verdicts of not guilty.	Hung jury.	Verdict of insane.	Cases tried after information filed.						
									In 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	In 30 days to 3 months.	In 3 to 6 months.	In 6 months to 1 year.	After 1 year.	
Scott.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sedgwick.....	509	234	242	33	12	21	0	0	2	3	12	9	6	6	1
Seward.....	8	5	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Shawnee.....	287*	103	163	21	9	5	3	3	2	2	12	6	1	0	0
Sheridan.....	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sherman.....	6	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Smith.....	20	2	17	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stafford.....	23	5	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stanton.....	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stevens.....	6	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sunmer.....	26	4	20	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Thomas.....	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trego.....	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wabunsee.....	7	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallace.....	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washington.....	10	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wichita.....	3	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Wilson.....	25	4	19	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0
Woodson.....	9	5	3	3	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Wyandotte.....	195†	37	123	35	25	9	0	1	1	2	13	9	4	6	6
Totals.....	2,930	986	1,609	335	203	104	22	5	56	62	105	65	36	11	11

\* Three dismissed after commencement of trial; 1 plea of guilty after jury impaneled.

† Mistrial.



TABLE V.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Criminal cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Transcript but no information filed.	Number paroles granted.	Cost.			
			Minimum cost.	Maximum cost.	Aggregate cost.	Number of cases reporting costs.
Allen.....	1	2	\$3.40	\$95.81	\$735.66	25
Anderson.....	1	1	12.34	173.60	478.94	12
Atchison.....	10	4	3.30	149.60	464.00	27
Barber.....	1	5	8.10	360.10	647.60	10
Barton.....	10	4	2.55	207.45	1,868.60	41
Bourbon.....	2	6	5.00	76.50	368.35	22
Brown.....	3	3	22.25	138.30	605.95	12
Butler.....	17	5	4.45	333.75	1,352.67	60
Chase.....	0	1	238.85	347.52	586.37	2
Chautauqua.....	6	1	7.85	28.75	58.90	4
Cherokee.....	6	2	10.95	65.55	703.85	21
Cheyenne.....	0	1	17.70	17.70	17.70	1
Clark.....	1	7	7.15	72.45	233.95	10
Clay.....	4	0	15.20	22.30	113.40	6
Cloud.....	2	2	4.10	420.20	887.85	19
Coffey.....	0	3	2.70	106.65	235.90	15
Comanche.....	2	5	6.70	255.75	535.80	15
Cowley.....	16	9	2.95	355.35	2,554.64	58
Crawford.....	33	8	3.35	255.00	1,450.78	54
Decatur.....	1	2	5.00	545.75	564.76	3
Dickinson.....	1	0	13.75	72.30	347.75	11
Doniphan.....	1	0	23.10	108.75	593.85	13
Douglas.....	6	0	55.70	424.85	424.85	20
Edwards.....	3	1	9.65	52.85	236.85	9
Elk.....						

Elk.....

TABLE V.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Criminal cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Transcript but no informa- tion filed.	Number paroles granted.	Cost.				Number reporting costs.	Average cost.
			Minimum cost.	Maximum cost.	Aggregate cost.			
Ellis.....	6	8	\$5.35	\$51.35	\$369.40		21	\$17.59
Ellsworth.....	2	2	5.25	163.70	366.20		13	28.17
Finney.....	15	8	8.50	126.85	859.98		35	24.54
Ford.....	7	9	3.65	118.80	874.15		33	26.48
Franklin.....	1	0	2.65	76.70	359.05		16	22.44
Geary.....	3	6	9.20	162.05	1,178.31		29	40.65
Gove.....	0	1	8.60	94.17	116.72		3	35.57
Graham.....	0	4	5.00	90.00	157.85		7	22.55
Grant.....	7	2	1.85	3.10	16.75		7	2.39
Gray.....	0	5	4.35	13.95	61.25		7	8.75
Greeley.....								
Greenwood.....	0	1	2.80	115.60	591.57		15	39.44
Hamilton.....	3	5	4.05	101.80	308.70		16	19.29
Harper.....	4	2	8.00	217.20	1,284.10		20	64.20
Harvey.....	0	2	4.85	1,042.00	1,513.85		30	504.61
Haskell.....	1	1	7.30	35.85	164.05		7	23.44
Hodgeman.....	1	0	6.25	66.35	117.36		4	29.34
Jackson.....	0	0	4.70	127.30	912.82		27	3.39
Jefferson.....	2	2	15.40	65.90	503.90		16	31.50
Jewell.....	0	5	7.95	134.60	385.55		15	25.70
Johnson.....	4	3	6.15	129.30	1,456.62		56	26.01
Kearny.....	2	3	1.25	13.05	17.30		3	5.77
Kingman.....	3	1	2.05	131.60	528.55		12	44.05
Kiowa.....	0	4	30.30	143.49	694.24		13	53.17
Labette.....	9	1	2.80	132.20	961.60		38	24.78
Lane.....	0	2	4.10	43.30	74.25		4	18.56
Leavenworth.....	95	0	3.75	69.60	1,280.90		113	11.34
Lincoln.....	0	1	3.00	35.25	106.75		5	21.35
Linn.....	1	4	6.85	120.00	759.10		14	54.22
Logan.....	5	0	9.60	78.50	396.60		10	39.66

TABLE V.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Criminal cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Transcript but no information filed.	Number paroles granted.	Cost.				Average cost.
			Minimum cost.	Maximum cost.	Aggregate cost.	Number of cases reporting costs.	
Lyon.....	7	10	\$2.00	\$61.35	\$314.09	29	\$10.83
Marion.....	2	3	2.50	65.35	298.70	12	24.89
Marshall.....	1	1	11.95	99.60	627.55	16	39.22
McPherson.....	10	9	3.90	136.05	1,227.55	40	30.69
Meade.....	1	3	7.95	16.30	68.25	6	11.37
Miami.....	1	1	3.25	212.40	484.25	12	40.35
Mitchell.....	8	11	4.40	110.81	628.21	17	23.26
Montgomery.....	15	13	3.50	180.00	2,814.65	114	24.69
Morris.....	0	0	9.50	9.50	9.50	1	9.50
Norton.....	0	2	9.70	20.10	41.95	3	13.98
Nemaha.....	1	4	6.55	296.00	1,372.85	27	50.84
Neosho.....	9	10	7.75	35.50	287.33	36	7.98
Ness.....	6	4	4.30	23.90	117.85	7	16.03
Norton.....	1	2	2.50	14.50	40.85	9	4.56
Osage.....	3	12	1.05	214.11	562.45	26	21.63
Osborne.....	0	1	4.15	109.75	146.05	5	29.21
Ottawa.....	0	1	62.85	318.10	318.10	9	35.34
Pawnee.....	3	2	3.55	20.60	106.02	8	13.25
Phillips.....	1	4	88.50	377.21	377.21	8	47.15
Pottawatomie.....	5	3	5.60	73.95	303.05	16	18.94
Pratt.....	0	1	2.90	21.20	129.35	9	14.37
Rawlins.....	0	1	14.30	91.20	211.10	5	42.22
Reno.....	31	57	5.45	858.34	7,364.12	168	43.83
Republic.....	1	7	8.45	181.88	440.87	18	24.50
Rice.....	5	10	9.65	108.10	1,212.16	30	40.40
Riley.....	9	2	2.25	11.70	109.15	21	5.20
Rooks.....	1	12	126.80	409.25	409.25	22	18.60
Rush.....	0	0	127.55	470.15	470.15	9	52.25
Russell.....	0	0	9.25	9.10	37.85	6	6.30
Saline.....	9	14	4.90	341.70	1,498.95	37	40.51

TABLE V.—CONCLUDED. Summary, district courts. Criminal cases tried on merits (or dismissed) year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Transcript but no informa- tion filed.	Number paroles granted.	Cost.			
			Minimum cost.	Maximum cost.	Aggregate cost.	Number of cases reporting costs.
Scott.....	191	158	\$5.05	\$879.50	\$15,696.14	508
Sedgwick.....	6	1	11.25	197.55	309.60	8
Seward.....	28	82	4.35	355.10	6,308.67	287
Shawnee.....	2	1	80.10	80.10		1
Sheridan.....						
Sherman.....	2	1	15.75	30.35	121.10	6
Smith.....	7	12	7.50	73.50	460.20	20
Stafford.....	2	13	5.95	111.55	585.70	23
Stanton.....	0	2	59.80	62.10	121.90	2
Stevens.....	0	0	2.05	8.65	26.75	6
Sumner.....	2	7	7.70	104.30	653.65	26
Thomas.....	1	0	10.11	27.55	47.77	3
Trego.....	1	0	2.80	22.60	25.40	2
Wabunsee.....	0	1	2.45	246.25	454.15	7
Wallace.....	0	0	18.85	43.72	62.57	2
Washington.....	2	1	4.20	21.75	211.75	10
Wichita.....	1	0	4.30	5.90	14.85	3
Wilson.....	2	4	15.20	174.35	827.45	25
Woodson.....	1	1	16.00	200.00	573.65	9
Wyandotte.....	31	73	6.55	116.10	5,126.19	188
Totals.....	706	709	\$0.75	\$858.34	\$86,173.44	2,923
						\$29.41

TABLE VI.—SUMMARY, DISTRICT COURTS. CRIMINAL CASES PENDING  
JULY 1, 1938

(Compiled from Form 6)

COUNTIES.	Number of cases.	Pending less than 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 months to 1 year.	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	More than 3 years.	Trans- cript but no infor- mation filed.
Allen.....	9	4	0	4	1	0	0	2
Anderson.....	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Atchison.....	14	5	3	2	3	1	0	8
Barber.....	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Barton.....	5	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
Bourbon.....	30	3	0	6	8	12	1	6
Brown.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Butler.....	21	3	3	5	6	2	2	13
Chase.....	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Chautauqua.....	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cherokee.....	18	6	2	3	2	2	3	6
Cheyenne.....	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
Clark.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clay.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cloud.....	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Coffey.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Comanche.....	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Cowley.....	23	21	0	1	0	1	0	22
Crawford.....	29	6	9	3	11	0	0	24
Decatur.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dickinson.....	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	3
Doniphan.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Douglas.....	5	2	1	0	2	0	0	3
Edwards.....	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
Elk.....	7	2	0	5	0	0	0	3
Ellis.....	5	2	2	0	0	1	0	0
Ellsworth.....	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Finney.....	9	7	2	0	0	0	0	8
Ford.....	12	6	0	1	3	1	1	8
Franklin.....	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	2
Geary.....	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Gove.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Graham.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Grant.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gray.....	3	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
Greeley.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greenwood.....	9	4	0	2	0	1	2	4
Hamilton.....	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	3
Harper.....	8	5	2	1	0	0	0	4
Harvey.....	7	5	2	0	0	0	0	1
Haskell.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hodgeman.....	5	0	2	1	1	1	0	1
Jackson.....	7	3	3	0	0	1	0	1
Jefferson.....	5	2	1	2	0	0	0	1
Jewell.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Johnson.....	10	8	2	0	0	0	0	1
Kearny.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kingman.....	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Kiowa.....	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Labette.....	6	2	2	2	0	0	0	2
Lane.....	5	0	1	0	2	1	1	0
Leavenworth.....	27	8	4	15	0	0	0	21
Lincoln.....	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1
Linn.....	9	2	1	2	5	1	0	7
Logan.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE VI.—CONCLUDED. Summary, district courts. Criminal cases pending July 1, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number of cases.	Pending less than 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 months to 1 year.	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	More than 3 years.	Transcript but no information filed.
Lyon.....	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	1
Marion.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Marshall.....	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	2
McPherson.....	9	8	0	0	1	0	0	9
Meade.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miami.....	19	12	1	1	2	1	2	14
Mitchell.....	6	2	0	0	4	0	0	0
Montgomery.....	11	6	0	5	0	0	0	2
Morris.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Morton.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nemaha.....	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Neosho.....	12	0	5	6	1	0	0	12
Ness.....	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
Norton.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Osage.....	7	2	1	2	2	0	0	6
Osborne.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ottawa.....	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pawnee.....	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
Phillips.....	21	10	6	0	2	3	0	19
Pottawatomie.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pratt.....	4	2	0	1	1	0	0	0
Rawlins.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reno.....	34	23	4	4	3	0	0	19
Republic.....	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	1
Rice.....	8	5	2	0	0	0	1	0
Riley.....	3	0	0	0	2	1	0	0
Rooks.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Rush.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Russell.....	7	0	0	6	1	0	0	4
Saline.....	6	2	1	0	1	0	2	2
Scott.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sedgwick.....	153	55	27	30	24	13	4	27
Seward.....	7	2	1	1	3	0	0	0
Shawnee.....	95	36	8	11	19	13	8	13
Sheridan.....	6	1	1	2	1	1	0	4
Sherman.....	4	0	2	1	0	1	0	1
Smith.....	4	2	1	1	0	0	0	1
Stafford.....	4	2	0	1	0	0	1	2
Stanton.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stevens.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sumner.....	16	2	1	2	7	1	3	13
Thomas.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trego.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wabaunsee.....	3	0	0	1	1	1	0	1
Wallace.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washington.....	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
Wichita.....	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Wilson.....	13	7	0	2	4	0	0	4
Woodson.....	8	4	0	4	0	0	0	8
Wyandotte.....	766	44	23	69	89	86	455	336
Totals.....	1,586	362	155	216	220	146	487	668

TABLE VII.—SUMMARY, DISTRICT COURTS. MOTIONS AND DEMURRERS, YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938  
(Compiled from Forms 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6)

COUNTRIES.	Number filed.	With-drawn or not pre-sented.	Pend-ing July 1, 1938.	Presented.			Decided.				How decided.		
				Within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	De-cided day pre-sented.	Not same day but within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	Allowed.	Denied.	Parti-ally allowed and denied.
Allen.....	128	2	0	123	2	1	126	0	0	0	102	23	1
Anderson.....	115	3	17	52	24	19	82	1	4	8	78	15	2
Atchison.....	238	28	17	121	44	28	192	1	0	0	151	39	3
Barber.....	27	1	0	4	13	9	25	0	1	0	18	4	4
Barton.....	86	2	8	54	10	12	72	1	3	0	60	16	0
Bourbon.....	75	4	21	30	3	17	48	1	0	1	35	15	0
Brown.....	207	13	16	95	43	40	177	0	0	0	135	43	0
Butler.....	86	6	3	56	8	13	72	2	1	2	65	12	0
Chase.....	14	1	4	6	1	2	9	0	0	0	4	5	0
Chautauqua.....	42	0	6	20	6	10	36	0	0	0	25	11	0
Cherokee.....	179	13	18	109	21	18	146	0	0	2	115	28	5
Cheyenne.....	85	0	0	66	5	14	85	0	0	0	84	1	0
Clark.....	33	2	11	4	8	8	19	1	0	0	12	7	1
Clay.....	11	0	1	5	5	0	10	0	0	0	6	4	0
Cloud.....	108	1	6	81	10	10	100	0	1	0	90	8	3
Coffey.....	83	0	3	78	0	2	74	3	0	3	78	2	0
Comanche.....	15	3	1	6	3	2	11	0	0	0	7	4	0
Cowley.....	168	6	21	50	45	46	141	0	0	0	44	59	38
Crawford.....	87	4	29	26	6	19	49	4	0	1	27	18	9
Decatur.....	29	0	2	17	6	4	27	0	0	0	26	1	0
Dickinson.....	63	8	2	34	15	4	53	0	0	0	44	5	4
Doniphan.....	97	7	6	38	17	9	82	0	2	0	74	10	0
Douglas.....	104	9	1	47	25	22	80	6	6	2	62	32	0
Edwards.....	55	7	1	35	5	7	47	0	0	0	43	4	0
Elk.....	64	40	2	22	0	0	22	0	0	0	17	5	0

TABLE VII.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Motions and demurrers, year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number filed.	With- drawn or not pre- sented.	Pend- ing July 1, 1938.	Presented.			Decided.				How decided.		
				Within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	De- cided day pre- sented.	Not same day but within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	Allowed.	Denied.	Par- tially allowed and denied.
Ellis.....	51	3	5	6	19	18	40	1	1	1	25	18	0
Ellsworth.....	20	4	0	13	2	1	16	0	0	0	6	9	1
Finney.....	173	27	15	88	23	20	129	2	0	0	103	26	2
Ford.....	139	3	6	111	8	11	127	1	2	2	114	15	1
Franklin.....	24	1	4	7	5	7	13	0	2	4	8	10	1
Geary.....	78	8	9	40	12	9	61	0	0	0	31	30	0
Gove.....	13	1	0	7	2	3	11	0	0	1	10	2	0
Graham.....	88	6	10	50	16	6	60	4	6	2	67	5	0
Grant.....	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0
Gray.....	35	4	1	29	1	0	29	0	0	1	27	3	0
Greeley.....	60	12	0	23	20	5	48	0	0	0	46	2	0
Greenwood.....	81	13	7	47	11	3	61	0	0	0	57	4	0
Hamilton.....	69	4	8	31	13	13	55	0	2	0	46	11	0
Harper.....	57	3	4	34	11	5	49	1	0	0	36	14	0
Harvey.....	75	7	21	14	16	17	44	0	1	2	26	18	3
Haskell.....	16	3	2	5	3	3	11	0	0	0	7	4	0
Hodgeman.....	26	0	2	10	10	4	24	0	0	0	21	3	0
Jackson.....	140	7	11	92	16	14	122	0	0	0	96	21	5
Jefferson.....	165	16	25	88	19	17	120	2	1	1	100	23	1
Jewell.....	141	2	11	72	34	22	128	0	0	0	102	23	3
Johnson.....	233	15	35	112	44	27	175	1	6	1	155	27	1
Kearny.....	66	7	7	17	24	11	51	0	0	1	38	9	5
Kingman.....	32	2	1	10	8	11	29	0	0	0	21	8	0
Kiowa.....	29	5	0	13	3	8	23	0	1	0	18	6	0
Labette.....	123	3	11	64	26	19	95	1	9	4	67	24	18
Lane.....	18	1	1	16	0	0	16	0	0	0	15	1	0
Leavenworth.....	153	4	55	66	13	15	77	14	3	0	82	12	0
Lincoln.....	87	14	1	52	15	5	72	0	0	0	63	6	3
Linn.....	41	5	6	23	3	4	27	1	2	0	27	3	0
Logan.....	37	7	9	12	4	5	20	0	0	1	10	11	0



TABLE VII.—CONTINUED. Summary, district courts. Motions and demurrers, year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number filed.	With- drawn or not pre- sented.	Pend- ing July 1, 1938.	Presented.			Decided.				How decided.		
				Within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	De- cided day pre- sented.	Not same day but within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	Allowed.	Denied.	Par- tially allowed and denied.
Lyon.....	105	34	32	32	2	5	38	1	0	0	34	5	0
Marion.....	73	2	5	31	30	5	66	0	0	0	11	52	3
Marshall.....	110	0	11	69	18	12	93	3	2	1	95	4	0
McPherson.....	36	0	2	16	8	10	34	0	0	0	18	16	0
Meade.....	15	1	6	6	1	1	7	0	0	1	0	7	1
Miami.....	90	4	9	37	20	20	71	3	1	2	59	18	0
Mitchell.....	47	12	1	13	5	16	34	0	0	0	14	15	5
Montgomery.....	210	19	26	117	30	18	162	0	3	0	116	49	0
Morris*.....	41	2	6	18	9	6	33	0	0	0	29	4	0
Morton.....	129	6	7	85	25	6	116	0	0	0	107	9	0
Nemaha.....	52	9	19	16	5	3	23	0	1	0	20	4	0
Neosho.....	30	6	10	5	6	3	14	0	0	0	6	7	1
Ness.....	20	0	1	6	12	1	18	0	1	0	10	9	0
Norton.....	104	4	9	65	16	10	91	0	0	0	75	14	2
Osage.....	61	1	2	43	6	9	58	0	0	0	48	8	2
Osborne.....	17	8	3	5	0	1	6	0	0	0	1	3	2
Ottawa.....	26	0	2	14	9	1	24	0	0	0	20	4	0
Pawnee.....	71	9	5	32	8	17	57	0	0	0	49	7	1
Phillips.....	49	0	0	31	11	7	49	0	0	0	42	7	0
Pottawatomie.....	44	6	1	14	11	12	37	0	0	0	16	21	0
Pratt.....	14	1	3	3	2	5	10	0	0	0	6	1	3
Rawlins.....	372	2	30	265	30	45	340	0	0	0	274	45	21
Reno.....	153	29	1	88	26	9	114	8	1	0	96	22	5
Republic.....	196	8	25	118	32	13	147	2	13	1	132	24	7
Rice.....	107	11	21	53	13	9	75	0	0	0	66	7	2
Riley.....	93	2	4	18	4	5	27	0	0	0	24	3	0
Rooks.....	44	0	4	23	10	7	40	0	0	0	30	10	0
Rush.....	73	26	1	22	10	14	46	0	0	0	39	5	2
Russell.....	254	48	84	80	14	28	119	1	2	0	78	33	11

TABLE VII.—CONCLUDED. Summary, district courts. Motions and demurrers, year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number filed.	With- drawn or not pre- sented.	Pend- ing July 1, 1938.	Presented.			Decided.				How decided.		
				Within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	De- cided day pre- sented.	Not same day but within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	Allowed.	Denied.	Par- tially allowed and denied.
Scott.....	74	7	0	34	14	19	67	0	0	0	44	23	0
Sedgwick.....	766	99	54	218	294	101	582	20	8	3	391	183	39
Seward.....	75	0	4	48	17	6	68	1	0	2	56	15	0
Shawnee.....	1,596	128	49	1,350	41	28	770	260	207	182	1,188	215	16
Sheridan.....	42	1	4	26	7	4	37	0	0	0	31	6	0
Sherman.....	63	6	0	28	19	10	57	0	0	0	53	2	2
Smith.....	41	3	5	22	4	7	32	1	0	0	27	6	0
Stafford.....	115	8	9	69	14	15	84	4	10	0	68	27	3
Stanton.....	17	0	4	12	0	1	13	0	0	0	12	1	0
Stevens.....	29	0	3	14	7	5	26	0	0	0	22	4	0
Sumner.....	470	68	17	218	87	80	382	2	1	0	286	96	3
Thomas.....	22	3	5	10	1	3	14	0	0	0	11	3	0
Trego.....	34	0	7	5	3	19	22	1	0	4	11	16	0
Wabunsee.....	57	3	6	31	8	9	44	1	2	1	40	7	1
Wallace.....	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Washington.....	122	8	6	77	17	14	108	0	0	0	98	10	0
Wichita.....	24	1	1	21	2	0	23	0	0	0	20	3	0
Wilson.....	101	7	12	59	11	12	79	3	0	0	56	23	3
Woodson.....	10	0	0	9	1	0	10	0	0	0	3	7	0
Wyandotte.....	963	50	178	367	203	165	711	12	4	8	491	244	0
Totals.....	11,669	989	1,156	6,296	1,832	1,396	8,599	371	310	244	7,251	2,024	249

\* No report.

TABLE VIII.—ACTION TAKEN WITHIN THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938, IN CASES CIVIL, DIVORCE OR CRIMINAL, IN WHICH JUDGMENT ON MERITS WAS RENDERED AT ANY TIME PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1937

Compiled from Form 6A

COUNTIES.	Number filed.	With- drawn or not pre- sented.	Pend- ing July 1, 1938.	Presented.			Decided.				How decided.		
				Within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	De- cided day but within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	Allowed.	Denied.	Allowed in part and denied in part.	
Allen.....	31	0	0	30	0	1	30	0	0	1	27	4	0
Anderson.....	23	0	0	15	2	6	22	1	0	0	20	3	0
Atchison.....	10	1	0	6	1	2	9	0	0	0	9	0	0
Barber*.....													
Barton *.....													
Bourbon.....	3	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	1	2	0	1
Brown.....	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Butler*.....													
Chase.....	4	0	0	1	0	3	4	0	0	0	1	3	0
Chautauqua.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Cherokee.....	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cheyenne.....	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	0
Clark.....	3	0	0	1	1	1	3	0	0	0	3	0	0
Clay*.....													
Cloud.....	6	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	0	0	5	0	1
Coffey.....	6	0	0	3	0	3	5	0	0	1	5	1	0
Comanche*.....													
Cowley.....	27	0	0	16	2	9	27	0	0	0	18	9	0
Crawford*.....													
Decatur.....	4	0	1	2	1	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	2
Dickinson.....													
Doniphan.....	7	0	0	3	3	1	7	0	0	0	6	1	0
Douglas*.....	28	2	0	16	2	8	24	0	1	1	22	4	0
Edwards.....													
Elk*.....	15	0	0	12	2	1	15	0	0	0	15	0	0

TABLE VIII.—CONCLUDED. Action taken within the year ending June 30, 1938, in cases civil, divorce or criminal, in which judgment on merits was rendered at any time prior to July 1, 1937

COUNTIES.	Number filed.	With- drawn or not pre- sented.	Pend- ing July 1, 1938.	Presented.			Decided.				How decided.		
				Within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	De- cided day pre- sented.	Not same day but within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	Allowed.	Denied.	Allowed in part and denied in part.
Ellis*	9	7	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0
Ellsworth													
Finney*	42	0	1	0	0	41	37	0	2	2	39	2	0
Ford													
Franklin*													
Geary	25	0	0	1	24	0	25	0	0	0	25	0	0
Gove*													
Graham	8	0	2	4	1	1	5	0	1	0	6	0	0
Grant*													
Gray*													
Greeley	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greenwood*													
Hamilton	4	0	0	3	0	1	4	0	0	0	3	1	0
Harper	2	0	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	0
Harvey	23	3	0	9	4	7	19	0	0	1	18	2	0
Haskell*													
Hodgeman	9	1	0	2	1	5	8	0	0	0	6	2	0
Jackson	42	1	0	34	4	3	40	1	0	0	40	0	1
Jefferson	15	5	0	7	2	1	8	0	1	1	8	2	0
Jewell	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Johnson	44	0	0	30	5	9	39	0	3	2	42	2	0
Kearny	14	1	1	4	1	7	11	0	0	1	10	2	0
Kingman*													
Kiowa	16	2	0	10	3	1	14	0	0	0	13	1	0
Labette	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	1	0
Lane*													
Leavenworth	16	0	0	0	0	16	10	4	1	1	14	2	0
Lincoln	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	0
Linn*													
Logan	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0

TABLE VIII.—CONTINUED. Action taken within the year ending June 30, 1938, in cases civil, divorce or criminal, in which judgment on merits was rendered at any time prior to July 1, 1937

COUNTIES.	Number filed.	With- drawn or not pre- sented.	Pend- ing July 1, 1938.	Presented.			Decided.				How decided.		
				Within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	De- cided day pre- sented.	Not same day but within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	Allowed.	Denied.	Allowed in part and denied in part.
Lyon.....	19	3	0	9	3	4	16	0	0	0	16	0	0
Marion*.....	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Marshall.....	9	0	0	5	3	1	9	0	0	0	9	0	0
McPherson.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Meade.....	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miami.....	22	0	0	13	6	3	21	1	0	0	18	4	0
Mitchell.....	7	0	0	4	0	3	7	0	0	0	6	1	0
Montgomery*.....	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Morris*.....	10	2	0	8	0	0	8	0	0	0	7	1	0
Morton.....	10	2	0	8	0	0	8	0	0	0	7	1	0
Nemaha*.....	4	0	0	3	1	0	4	0	0	0	3	1	0
Neosho.....	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0
Ness.....	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Norton*.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Osage.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Osborne.....	2	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Ottawa.....	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Pawnee.....	6	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	0	0	6	0	0
Phillips*.....	8	0	0	0	1	7	8	0	0	0	6	2	0
Pottawatomie.....	8	0	0	0	1	7	8	0	0	0	6	2	0
Pratt.....	7	0	0	3	2	2	7	0	0	0	6	1	0
Rawlins.....	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Rawlins.....	116	1	0	86	12	17	115	0	0	0	106	8	1
Reno.....	9	0	0	4	2	3	5	3	1	0	7	2	0
Republic.....	39	0	0	35	0	4	38	1	0	0	38	1	0
Rice.....	14	0	1	5	2	6	13	0	0	0	11	2	0
Riley.....	6	1	0	1	4	0	5	0	0	0	4	1	0
Rooks.....	9	0	0	0	0	9	3	0	3	3	8	0	1
Rush*.....	9	0	0	0	0	9	3	0	3	3	8	0	1
Russell.....	9	0	0	0	0	9	3	0	3	3	8	0	1
Saline*.....	9	0	0	0	0	9	3	0	3	3	8	0	1

TABLE VIII.—CONCLUDED. Action taken within the year ending June 30, 1938, in cases civil, divorce or criminal, in which judgment on merits was rendered at any time prior to July 1, 1937

COUNTIES.	Number filed.	With- drawn or not pre- sented.	Pend- ing July 1, 1938.	Presented.			Decided.				How decided.		
				Within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	De- cided day pre- sented.	Not same day but within 10 days.	In 10 to 30 days.	After 30 days.	Allowed.	Denied.	Allowed in part and denied in part.
Scott*.....	375	15	22	273	24	41	338	0	0	0	320	18	0
Sedwick.....	19	0	0	19	0	0	19	0	0	0	19	0	0
Steward.....	192	31	0	75	49	37	134	9	6	12	109	51	1
Shawnee.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sheridan.....													
Sherman.....	8	1	0	0	1	6	7	0	0	0	5	2	0
Smith.....	9	0	0	7	1	1	9	0	0	0	9	0	0
Stafford.....	7	5	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0
Stanton.....	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Stevens.....	19	1	0	7	3	8	18	0	0	0	16	2	0
Sumner.....	25	1	0	14	5	5	23	1	0	0	23	1	0
Thomas.....	4	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	4	0	0
Trego.....	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Wabunsee.....	15	0	0	11	1	3	15	0	0	0	14	1	0
Wallace.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Washington.....	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	0
Wichita.....	5	0	0	4	0	1	5	0	0	0	5	0	0
Wilson.....	14	2	0	9	3	0	12	0	0	0	8	4	0
Woodson*.....													
Wyandotte*.....													
Totals.....	1,454	99	30	836	187	302	1,256	21	20	28	1,171	146	8

\* No report.

TABLE I.—PROBATE COURTS. MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION, YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938

County.	Judge.	Time judge has served.		Declarations since July 1, 1937, by guardian, executor, or administrator.			Juvenile officers.		Number juvenile cases.	Number juvenile cases pending.	Habeas corpus cases since July 1, 1937.			Orders made in district court cases.	Proceedings in aid of execution.	Number of adoption proceedings.	Number of insanity hearings.
		Yrs.	Mos.	No.	Amount.	Amount received.	Full time.	Part time.			Number.	Writ allowed.	Writ denied.				
Allen.....	A. M. Dunlap.....	1	6				0	1	17	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	17
Anderson.....	L. H. Spohn.....	9	6				0	0	12	1	0	0	0	3	0	1	9
Atchison.....	F. P. Wertz.....	5	6				1	0	15	5	0	0	0	2	0	6	24
Barber.....	John C. Hilkey.....	1	6				0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0
Barton.....	H. A. Hall.....	29	6				0	1	3	8	0	0	0	13	0	7	4
Bourbon.....	J. A. Stanton.....	1	6				1	0	17	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	17
Brown.....	Dale Bailey.....	1	0				2	0	6	0	0	0	0	4	0	5	9
Butler.....	W. N. Calkins.....	4	6				0	0	15	4	0	0	0	0	0	6	12
Chase.....	A. E. Johnson.....	1	6				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	4
Chautauqua.....	R. E. Rathbun.....	1	6				0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	5
Cherokee.....	Walter Largent.....	5	6				1	0	14	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	19
Cheyenne.....	Florence Curry.....	2	2				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
Clark.....	O. T. Ammon.....	3	4				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	6
Clay.....	Frank H. Meek.....	5	6				1	0	7	0	0	0	0	6	0	1	8
Cloud.....	E. W. Thompson.....	13	6				1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	11
Coffey.....	W. A. Starlipper.....	1	6				0	0	5	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	9
Comanche.....	M. M. Osoby.....	20	0				0	0	4	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	3
Cowley.....	Ellis Fink.....	4	3				2	0	99	11	0	0	0	0	0	29	3
Crawford.....	Robert W. Colborn.....	17	0				1	0	7	0	0	0	0	4	0	6	36
Decatur.....	Ralph McLaughlin.....	2	6				0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	4
Dickinson.....	D. W. Nickles.....	5	6				1	0	28	10	0	0	0	8	0	5	18
Doniphan.....	John E. Bell.....	7	6				1	0	64	12	2	2	0	6	2	3	14
Douglas.....	L. H. Menger.....	17	6				1	0	9	6	0	0	0	1	1	3	11
Edwards.....	L. L. Anderson.....	1	6				0	1	5	0	0	0	0	7	0	8	8
Elk.....	W. M. Gibbons.....	3	6				0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5
Ellis.....	Peter Holmeister.....	5	6				1	0	3	0	1	0	0	8	0	5	8
Ellsworth.....	Frank Vittek.....	9	6				1	0	11	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Finney.....	Edgar Foster.....	7	4				0	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	2	4	4
Ford.....	Richard W. Evans.....	10	6				0	0	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	7
Franklin.....	Clive H. Owen.....	7	6				1	0	9	0	0	0	0	7	0	4	8

TABLE I.—CONTINUED. Probate courts. Miscellaneous information, year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTY.	Judge.	Time judge has served.		Defalcations since July 1, 1937, by guardian, executor, or administrator.			Juvenile officers.		Number juvenile cases.	Habeas corpus cases since July 1, 1937.			Orders made in district court cases.	Proceedings in aid of execution.	Number of adoption proceedings.	Number of insanity hearings.
		Yrs.	Mos.	No.	Amount.	Amount received.	Full time.	Part time.		Number.	Writ allowed.	Writ denied.				
Geary.....	Dave Rankin.....	1	6				0	0	6	0	0	0	6	0	7	4
Gove.....	Geo. F. Turner.....	11	6				0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Graham.....	E. L. McClure.....	12	6				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Grant.....	Myrtie Newby.....	1	6	1	\$286.00		0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Gray.....	Edith M. Johnston.....	7	6				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Greeley.....	J. G. Ridden.....	5	6				0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	4	1
Greenwood.....	B. M. Beyer.....	1	6				1	0	7	0	0	0	12	0	1	8
Hamilton.....	D. P. Hutton.....	3	6				0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	1	2
Harper.....	D. C. Hawk.....	27	6				2	0	12	1	0	0	6	0	2	3
Harvey.....	W. G. Adams.....	1	6				0	0	39	5	0	0	2	0	8	17
Haskell.....	Lawrence G. Mears.....	15	6				0	1	4	0	0	0	2	0	0	3
Hodgeman.....	Hugh Roberts.....	3	0				0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Jackson.....	Jesse L. Hayden.....	1	7				1	0	4	0	0	0	16	0	2	11
Jefferson.....	Arthur Ferris.....	3	6				2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	6	10
Jewell.....	Frank Kissinger.....	7	6				0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	4	6
Johnson.....	Pert Rogers.....	3	6				0	1	1	0	0	0	6	0	7	20
Keary.....	Luella Stutzman.....	1	6				2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Kingman.....	L. W. Kahler.....	11	6				1	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	2	4
Kiowa.....	Harry Paxton.....	3	6				1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Labette.....	Leonard Rude, Sr.....	1	6				1	0	39	0	0	0	0	0	8	14
Lane.....	J. A. Radford.....	9	6				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Leavenworth.....	Sam Pariss.....	3	6				1	0	331	6	1	5	0	0	11	20
Linn.....	A. Artman.....	35	6				1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Linn.....	Owen E. Root.....	5	6				0	1	14	1	0	1	3	0	4	10
Logan.....	Winnie Seitz.....	9	6				1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Lyon.....	Robert H. Hudkins.....	5	6				1	0	14	7	0	0	0	0	9	12
Marion.....	Jay E. Harrett.....	9	6				1	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	3	5
Marshall.....	P. R. Pultepp.....	5	6				0	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	2	10
McPherson.....	I. J. Heidebrecht.....	12	9	1	500.00		2	0	1	0	0	0	8	0	6	17
Meade.....	Florilla DeCov.....	13	6				0	1	5	0	0	0	1	0	1	4



TABLE I.—CONTINUED. Probate courts. Miscellaneous information, year ending June 30, 1938

Country.	Judge.	Time judge has served.		Defalcations since July 1, 1937, by guardian, executor, or administrator.		Juvenile officers.		Number juvenile cases.	Number juvenile cases pending.	Habeas corpus cases since July 1, 1937.			Orders made in district court cases.	Proceedings in aid of execution.	Number of adoption proceedings.	Number of insanity hearings.
		Yrs.	Mos.	No.	Amount.	Amount received.	Full time.	Part time.		Number allowed.	Writ allowed.	Writ denied.				
Miami.....	C. E. Rossmann.....	13	6	1	*		2	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	3	18
Mitchell.....	J. M. Rodgers.....	7	6				0	2	16	1	0	0	5	0	4	10
Montgomery.....	Earl L. Bailey.....	3	6				0	3	437	0	0	0	0	0	13	31
Morris.....	W. T. Williams.....	7	6				0	0	2	0	0	0	6	0	2	4
Morton.....	Jennie M. Smallwood.....	7	6				0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	2
Nemaha.....	L. S. Slocum.....	17	6				1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	13
Neosho.....	L. C. Swan.....	1	6				2	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	4	15
Ness.....	J. C. M. Anderson.....	5	6				1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Norton.....	W. A. Hendrickson.....	5	6				1	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Osage.....	George E. Ramskill.....	3	6				0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	9
Osborne.....	James W. Bell.....	5	3				1	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	4	5
Ottawa.....	G. R. King.....	5	6				6	0	4	0	0	0	1	3	2	3
Pawnee.....	W. H. Goddard.....	3	6				0	0	6	0	0	0	4	0	2	3
Phillips.....	Fred Kelly.....	5	6				0	0	7	0	0	0	1	0	1	12
Pottawatomie.....	Frank Brooks.....	5	8				1	0	3	2	0	2	3	3	3	8
Pratt.....	E. R. Barnes.....	12	0				0	1	15	0	0	0	6	1	2	7
Rawlins.....	M. H. Bird.....	5	6				0	1	5	0	0	0	1	0	2	2
Reno.....	A. B. Leigh.....	5	6				1	0	62	0	0	0	15	0	11	29
Republic.....	Henry H. VanNatta.....	19	6				0	0	1	0	0	0	7	0	3	3
Rice.....	H. C. Doddridge.....	1	6				0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	6
Riley.....	Herman L. Schwartz.....	0	7	1	\$351.53	\$351.53	2	0	36	0	0	0	1	0	5	19
Rooks.....	H. E. Lemberd.....	3	6				1	0	7	0	0	0	2	1	1	5
Rush.....	Paul J. Warden.....	1	6				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Russell.....	J. D. Steinle.....	5	6				0	1	5	0	1	0	10	0	1	6
Saline.....	Will F. Miller.....	13	6				1	0	42	0	0	0	6	0	18	16
Scott.....	James H. Force.....	5	6				0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Sedgewick.....	Clyde M. Hudson.....	5	6				3	0	280	5	0	5	0	2	117	88
Seward.....	L. A. Etzold**.....	12	6				2	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
Shawnee.....	Roy N. McCue.....	3	6				3	0	136	0	0	0	0	0	56	217
Sheridan.....	N. F. McWilliams.....	3	6				1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	2

TABLE I.—CONCLUDED. Probate courts. Miscellaneous information, year ending June 30, 1938

County.	Judge.	Time judge has served.		Declarations since July 1, 1937, by guardian, executor, or administrator.			Juvenile officers.		Number juvenile cases.	Number juvenile cases pending.	Habeas corpus cases since July 1, 1937.			Orders made in district court cases.	Proceedings in aid of execution.	Number of adoption proceedings.	Number of insanity hearings.
		Yrs.	Mos.	No.	Amount.	Amount received.	Full time.	Part time.			Number.	Writ allowed.	Writ denied.				
Sherman.....	Bryan Baderstadt...	3	6				0	1	8	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	6
Smith.....	Chas. Buell.....	5	6				0	0	1	3	0	0	0	2	0	4	4
Stafford.....	Fred R. Seely.....	3	6				1	0	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	6
Stanton.....	Chas. T. Bradley†																
Stevens.....	J. B. Porter.....	1	6				0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Sumner.....	Chas. P. Hagen.....	15	6				1	0	22	9	0	0	0	1	0	6	15
Thomas.....	O. A. Snell.....	5	6				1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
Trego.....	Walter F. Swiggett...	5	6				0	0	13	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	1
Wabaupee.....	H. R. Williams.....	5	6				0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	6
Wallace.....	George Cox.....	21	6				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washington.....	R. L. Rust.....	7	6				1	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	10
Wichita.....	Maggie Gilmore.....	3	6				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wilson.....	J. Harlan Blackburn...	1	6				4	0	16	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	14
Woodson.....	D. S. Bell.....	3	6				0	1	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	7
Wyandotte.....	Henry Meade.....	13	6	1	\$303.00	\$303.00	3	0	285	195	0	0	0	0	0	53	78
Totals.....				5	\$1,440.53	\$654.53	74	20	2,354	413	20	6	14	266	21	534	1,216

\* Undetermined amount.

† Judge appointed August 29, 1938, information unavailable.

\*\* Avis King Lacy, judge pro tem.

TABLE II.—SUMMARY, PROBATE COURTS. ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS CLOSED WITHIN THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number of cases.	Final report 1 yr. after letters of adm. issued.	Pending 1 to 2 years.	Pending 2 to 3 years.	Pending 3 to 4 years.	Pending 4 to 5 years.	Pending 5 to 10 years.	Pending longer than 10 years.	Number of cases with wills.	Number of cases without wills.	Number of bonds kept good.	No bonds filed.	Inventories in 60 days.	Inventories after 60 days.	No inventory.
Allen.....	48	0	29	3	4	3	5	4	25	23	33	15	19	27	2
Anderson.....	41	3	24	2	1	3	6	4	25	16	20	19	28	8	5
Archison.....	61	0	21	6	4	1	9	4	33	28	37	24	34	17	10
Barber.....	28	1	15	2	2	1	5	2	15	13	14	14	10	14	4
Barton.....	62	1	37	10	2	2	7	3	40	22	31	31	49	9	4
Bourbon.....	56	13	28	7	1	0	3	4	32	24	31	25	41	9	6
Brown.....	61	3	34	6	5	8	2	3	28	33	45	15	32	21	8
Butler.....	67	11	36	5	3	1	7	2	32	32	46	21	18	18	31
Chase.....	15	1	12	1	1	0	1	0	11	4	7	8	12	3	0
Chautauqua.....	24	3	16	2	2	1	0	0	9	15	16	8	14	3	7
Cherokee.....	66	9	40	11	1	2	1	2	28	38	49	17	53	8	5
Cheyenne.....	13	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	7	6	7	6	9	4	0
Clark.....	5	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	3	2	3	2	4	1	0
Clay.....	38	14	18	3	0	0	2	0	20	18	26	12	28	8	2
Cloud.....	52	15	23	5	1	0	6	2	26	26	40	12	37	14	1
Coffey (4 foreign transcripts).....	31	7	18	1	2	1	1	1	9	22	26	5	26	5	0
Comanche.....	12	2	7	1	1	0	4	0	7	5	7	5	9	3	0
Cowley.....	87	16	60	4	3	0	1	0	53	34	53	34	47	40	0
Crawford.....	67	24	36	3	2	0	3	1	36	31	50	17	55	12	0
Decatur.....	19	1	12	3	0	1	1	1	12	7	14	5	18	1	0
Dickinson (12 foreign transcripts).....	82	8	56	3	4	3	7	1	52	30	50	32	52	22	8
Doniphan.....	48	10	26	5	3	2	3	0	27	21	35	13	43	3	2
Douglas.....	71	9	54	3	0	0	0	0	48	23	42	29	54	17	0
Edwards.....	14	8	4	2	0	0	0	0	8	6	10	4	12	2	0
Elk.....	26	4	19	1	0	0	0	0	7	19	20	6	25	0	1
Ellis.....	43	4	26	5	0	1	2	5	26	17	22	21	31	10	2
Ellsworth.....	44	10	24	3	2	3	0	0	25	10	23	22	38	5	1
Finney.....	22	1	13	3	1	1	2	0	10	12	19	3	18	4	0
Ford.....	13	1	7	1	1	2	1	0	8	5	10	3	8	5	0
Franklin.....	68	14	48	1	2	0	2	1	42	20	46	22	56	7	5

TABLE II.—CONTINUED. Summary, probate courts. Estates of deceased persons closed within the year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number of cases.	Final report 1 yr. after letters of adm. issued.	Pending 1 to 2 years.	Pending 2 to 3 years.	Pending 3 to 4 years.	Pending 4 to 5 years.	Pending 5 to 10 years.	Pending longer than 10 years.	Number of cases with wills.	Number of cases without wills.	Number of bonds kept good.	No bonds filed.	Inven-tory in 60 days.	Inven-tory after 60 days.	No inven-tory.
Geary.....	36	1	30	1	2	2	0	0	26	10	20	16	29	7	0
Gove.....	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	3	2	0	1
Graham.....	11	0	5	3	3	0	0	0	8	2	7	4	7	2	2
Grant.....	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	1	1	2	0
Gray.....	8	0	3	4	1	0	0	0	3	5	6	2	4	4	0
Greeley.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greenwood.....	40	9	21	3	4	0	3	0	15	25	23	17	30	6	4
Hamilton.....	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	3	1	1	3	1	3	0
Harper.....	43	5	32	1	0	2	3	0	18	25	27	16	32	11	0
Harvey.....	101	6	42	15	5	5	23	5	51	50	72	29	43	39	19
Haskell.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hodgeman.....	6	0	4	1	0	0	1	0	4	2	5	1	4	2	0
Jackson.....	68	4	24	4	4	4	17	12	33	35	56	12	27	34	7
Jefferson.....	34	3	18	4	2	1	5	0	18	19	21	13	17	11	0
Jewell.....	30	1	18	0	2	1	6	2	15	15	27	3	18	11	1
Johnson.....	89	4	48	14	7	6	5	5	49	40	61	28	63	24	2
Kearny.....	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	2	4	0	0
Kingman.....	37	3	28	3	0	0	2	1	20	17	23	14	23	13	1
Kiowa.....	13	1	9	2	1	1	1	1	5	10	12	12	12	2	1
Labette.....	39	1	29	3	2	2	2	0	21	18	24	15	16	20	3
Lane.....	5	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	2	3	4	1	4	1	0
Leavenworth.....	95	2	69	15	4	2	3	0	52	43	68	35	38	55	2
Lincoln.....	39	0	32	4	2	0	1	0	14	25	33	6	31	8	0
Linn.....	37	10	11	4	0	4	3	5	19	18	28	9	34	0	0
Logan.....	11	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	8	5	6	6	3	5
Lyons.....	83	20	47	6	3	2	3	2	48	35	49	34	29	13	41
Marion.....	64	4	40	7	2	6	3	2	35	29	39	25	48	13	3
Marshall.....	52	4	39	9	0	2	6	8	43	33	43	19	53	6	3
McPherson.....	79	2	50	4	3	3	9	9	57	33	57	23	53	23	3
Meade.....	9	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	5	4	7	2	8	1	0

TABLE II.—CONTINUED. Summary, probate courts. Estates of deceased persons closed within the year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number of cases.	Final report 1 yr. after letters of adm. issued.	Pending 1 to 2 years.	Pending 2 to 3 years.	Pending 3 to 4 years.	Pending 4 to 5 years.	Pending 5 to 10 years.	Pending longer than 10 years.	Number of cases without wills.	Number of bonds filed.	Inventories in 60 days.	Inventories after 60 days.	No inventories.
Miami (6 foreign transcripts)....	62	8	29	8	2	6	7	2	27	46	56	6	0
Mitchell.....	57	1	40	5	2	2	5	0	39	39	18	14	1
Montgomery.....	97	19	49	9	2	3	5	5	43	67	25	33	3
Morris.....	37	7	21	6	2	0	0	0	16	27	10	9	1
Morton.....	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	1
Nemaha.....	57	11	27	7	2	3	3	4	24	33	48	9	0
Neosho.....	64	4	51	4	0	1	1	0	33	45	37	12	15
Ness.....	91	2	8	4	0	1	4	2	11	19	17	4	0
Norton.....	6	6	12	1	2	0	1	2	9	12	23	1	0
Osage.....	53	7	28	5	3	4	4	2	19	38	42	9	2
Osborne.....	50	4	32	5	4	0	4	1	32	43	35	12	3
Ottawa.....	45	0	39	2	2	0	1	1	24	39	36	8	1
Pawnee.....	49	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	7	14	16	1	2
Phillips.....	45	3	31	2	1	2	5	0	16	32	13	11	0
Pottawatomie.....	34	4	30	0	0	0	0	0	12	27	29	4	1
Pratt.....	36	4	17	6	2	2	3	3	15	17	16	18	2
Rawlins.....	16	1	10	1	1	0	3	0	11	16	0	3	1
Reno.....	76	4	56	6	4	2	2	2	38	49	31	43	2
Republic.....	43	4	28	3	3	3	8	3	16	40	3	8	2
Rice.....	51	10	18	3	6	0	0	0	31	30	21	22	8
Riley.....	73	7	50	6	3	4	3	0	33	56	17	63	2
Rock.....	33	4	21	6	0	1	1	1	20	25	24	5	0
Rush.....	89	2	6	3	0	0	2	48	22	30	33	4	38
Russell.....	92	6	17	4	0	2	2	0	41	17	11	16	1
Saline.....	55	4	34	4	2	2	9	0	28	42	13	37	4
Scott.....	12	3	6	1	1	1	0	0	7	11	10	3	0
Sedgwick.....	232	48	130	23	1	2	18	3	83	136	114	118	0
Seward.....	0	0	8	1	1	0	1	3	11	4	10	4	0
Shawnee.....	113	18	70	8	1	2	10	4	44	67	49	59	5
Sheridan.....	11	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	6	8	8	3	0

TABLE II.—CONTINUED. Summary, probate courts. Estates of deceased persons closed within the year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number of cases.	Final report 1 yr. after letters of adm. issued.	Pending 1 to 2 years.	Pending 2 to 3 years.	Pending 3 to 4 years.	Pending 4 to 5 years.	Pending 5 to 10 years.	Pending longer than 10 years.	Number of cases with wills.	Number of cases without wills.	Number of bonds kept good.	No bonds filed.	Inventary in 60 days.	Inventary after 60 days.	No inventory.
Sherman.....	15	2	12	0	0	0	1	0	8	7	9	6	8	5	2
Smith.....	54	7	31	5	5	2	2	2	21	33	34	20	34	14	6
Stafford.....	30	4	15	0	0	3	7	1	11	19	18	12	23	5	2
Stanton.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
Stevens.....	5	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	4	4	1	5	0	0
Sumner*.....															
Thomas.....	31	0	22	6	1	2	0	0	9	22	27	4	30	1	0
Trego.....	23	2	15	0	0	1	2	4	8	15	19	4	19	4	0
Wabausee.....	32	2	22	2	1	0	2	3	17	15	23	9	23	7	2
Wallace.....	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	2	0	0
Washington.....	38	6	24	1	0	2	3	2	26	12	33	5	34	4	0
Wichita.....	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	1	2	0
Wilson.....	46	8	30	2	3	0	3	0	19	27	39	7	35	3	8
Woodson.....	24	1	16	4	2	0	1	0	14	10	16	8	15	7	2
Wyandotte.....	229	31	151	14	8	5	9	11	104	125	192	37	145	83	1
Totals.....	4,295	552	2,629	385	169	141	319	200	2,280	2,115	2,999	1,396	2,867	1,210	318
Foreign transcripts.....	22														
Total cases.....	4,417														

\* No report.

TABLE II.—CONTINUED. Summary, probate courts. Estates of deceased persons closed within the year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Value of estates as appraised.	Estimated value of estates not appraised.	Number of first annual reports.	Attorney repre- sented for or adminis- trator.	Attorney repre- sented heirs or devisee.	No attorney.	Estates paid claims in full.	Estates did not pay claims in full.	Total fees allowed for executors and administrators.	Total fees allowed for attorneys.
Allen.....	\$471,566.97	\$2,519.50	48	44	4	4	41	7	\$15,026.68	\$5,918.12
Anderson.....	261,141.91	30,761.50	33	15	7	25	37	4	3,170.00	1,851.00
Atchison.....	234,706.01	297,328.77	9	34	26	27	58	3	4,868.59	5,348.21
Barber.....	204,978.35	13,000.00	6	24	3	3	25	3	4,804.35	2,430.00
Barton.....	1,278,621.72	12,200.00	6	19	3	43	59	3	6,942.20	3,606.20
Bourbon.....	334,154.12	133,901.25	5	41	5	14	52	4	5,444.08	3,826.32
Brown.....	650,987.45	16,353.48	28	32	6	28	60	1	7,073.90	6,073.00
Butler.....	668,178.68	415,531.33	1	67	0	0	67	0	12,909.63	13,399.46
Chase.....	175,404.21	.....	5	5	5	9	15	0	625.00	1,431.86
Chautauqua.....	57,843.19	3,507.00	6	22	3	2	21	3	161.00	625.00
Cherokee.....	295,740.06	.....	4	19	2	46	65	1	2,747.78	2,395.00
Cheyenne.....	103,450.01	1,200.00	3	13	1	0	12	1	798.35	3,146.55
Clark.....	27,247.75	.....	0	5	0	0	4	1	700.00	850.00
Clay.....	373,859.87	5,369.40	2	23	10	15	36	2	2,339.92	1,245.00
Cloud.....	398,658.88	15,710.88	13	17	0	35	49	3	2,397.42	666.00
Coffey (4 foreign transcripts).....	280,257.11	.....	6	25	1	6	25	6	2,459.53	4,269.95
Comanche.....	135,545.59	500.00	9	9	0	3	8	4	535.00	600.00
Cowley.....	1,951,951.00	.....	87	81	26	6	84	3	11,580.00	11,072.50
Crawford.....	353,377.00	5,905.00	67	42	11	25	64	3	4,224.09	3,063.37
Decatur.....	142,616.00	8,500.00	0	16	0	3	19	0	1,135.52	2,028.50
Dickinson (12 for 'gn transcripts).....	384,700.86	542,023.00	74	36	12	46	68	14	12,796.12	16,334.89
Doniphan.....	330,443.88	1,500.00	12	20	12	28	48	0	1,535.00	965.00
Douglas.....	1,291,672.79	1,500.00	7	69	0	2	68	3	40,258.34	11,620.10
Edwards.....	273,772.22	64,808.74	3	14	0	0	14	0	3,604.20	1,925.00
Elk.....	115,275.80	64,601.67	1	9	0	17	24	2	870.80	675.00
Ellis.....	448,579.77	.....	36	22	1	21	38	5	2,508.70	972.00
Ellsworth.....	478,401.65	73.91	8	41	3	3	43	1	2,269.30	3,105.00
Finney.....	157,589.27	.....	5	13	0	1	15	1	2,154.27	2,277.13
Ford.....	98,7773.49	.....	1	21	0	0	12	1	835.00	875.50
Franklin.....	547,518.26	101,600.35	7	36	1	32	63	5	5,859.79	2,951.25

TABLE II.—CONTINUED. Summary, probate courts. Estates of deceased persons closed within the year ending June 30, 1938

Countries.	Value of estates as appraised.	Estimated value of estates not appraised.	Number of first annual reports.	Attorney represented executor or administrator.	Attorney represented heirs or devisee.	No attorney.	Estates paid claims in full.	Estates did not pay claims in full.	Total fees allowed for executors and administrators.	Total fees allowed for attorneys.
Geary.....	\$591,892.00	\$41,248.00	2	35	1	1	36	0	\$10,415.00	\$5,016.00
Gove.....	37,752.35	.....	1	2	0	0	3	0	50.00	25.00
Graham.....	37,752.35	5,300.00	1	6	0	5	11	0	940.00	408.00
Grant.....	34,984.04	.....	0	3	0	0	3	0	890.00	890.00
Gray.....	61,391.13	.....	2	8	0	0	8	0	535.00	1,194.25
Greeley.....	.....	.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....
Greenwood.....	410,913.93	.....	10	3	0	37	33	7	3,691.28	25.00
Hamilton.....	9,454.00	5,000.00	1	0	0	4	3	1	.....	.....
Harper.....	443,609.30	.....	43	42	0	1	39	4	8,137.00	3,034.50
Harvey.....	1,042,917.00	6,371.00	73	69	11	32	71	30	9,935.00	13,666.00
Haskell.....	.....	.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....
Hodgeman.....	37,769.25	900.00	2	6	2	0	6	0	656.10	675.00
Jackson.....	44,731.35	560,671.87	22	54	1	13	60	8	5,213.25	4,598.08
Jefferson.....	317,544.28	.....	34	17	5	17	32	2	1,650.02	1,454.00
Jewell.....	75,823.01	138,607.75	8	22	3	8	30	0	3,163.35	817.50
Johnson.....	1,919,204.85	4,886.01	89	89	13	0	89	0	50,167.00	36,239.22
Kearny.....	32,117.58	.....	4	4	1	0	4	0	1,875.00	1,060.00
Kingman.....	364,598.39	.....	14	10	0	27	30	7	1,780.05	1,162.93
Kiowa.....	149,444.72	.....	2	14	1	1	12	3	5,913.63	1,678.94
Labette.....	219,950.30	3,485.16	5	18	1	21	39	0	.....	.....
Lane.....	21,632.36	.....	3	1	2	3	4	1	418.00	1,005.00
Leavenworth.....	135,583.21	675,095.54	5	58	7	36	89	6	27,651.88	8,666.07
Lincoln.....	343,314.69	.....	39	14	0	25	33	6	1,586.29	249.00
Linn.....	232,296.00	4,275.00	37	12	5	22	36	1	2,867.50	330.00
Logan.....	29,872.05	.....	2	5	0	6	5	6	285.00	235.00
Lyon.....	568,161.58	513,971.77	24	73	0	10	73	10	9,832.33	3,917.91
Marion.....	632,193.53	.....	20	53	7	11	55	9	4,427.65	6,181.93
Marshall.....	952,348.00	2,115.00	14	42	4	19	58	4	11,139.00	4,772.00
McPherson.....	1,310,432.75	1,115.00	9	53	10	26	77	2	5,336.40	5,587.55
Meade.....	839,847.99	.....	3	9	4	0	5	4	582.37	35,950.00



TABLE II.—CONTINUED. Summary, probate courts. Estates of deceased persons closed within the year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTRIES.	Value of estates as appraised.	Estimated value of estates not appraised.	Number of first annual reports.	Attorney repre- sented execu- tor or adminis- trator.	Attorney repre- sented heirs or devisee.	No attorney.	Estates paid claims in full.	Estates did not pay claims in full.	Total fees allowed for executors and administrators.	Total fees allowed for attorneys.
Miami (6 foreign transcripts.)	\$989,435.56	\$285,333.00	12	15	2	47	60	2	\$15,343.63	\$5,303.56
Mitchell.....	521,190.95	.....	3	11	3	45	56	1	1,552.39	921.12
Montgomery.....	867,720.68	629,337.48	10	82	12	7	90	2	36,644.56	12,852.09
Morris.....	276,508.42	.....	0	31	0	7	31	6	1,058.17	1,830.00
Morton.....	10,020.59	250.00	0	2	1	1	3	0	1,300.00	500.00
Nemaha.....	702,206.25	.....	57	23	5	34	55	2	3,537.70	1,293.37
Neosho.....	407,518.37	.....	9	20	0	44	60	4	3,771.60	2,394.08
Ness.....	206,156.00	7,400.00	2	6	0	15	21	0	2,507.63	1,856.31
Norton.....	143,907.71	6,500.00	2	24	0	0	23	1	1,690.00	2,000.00
Osage.....	129,016.01	177,890.50	13	36	1	17	49	4	2,954.04	1,064.92
Osborne.....	286,884.83	.....	8	10	0	40	49	1	2,237.29	569.70
Ottawa.....	286,017.02	.....	45	17	0	28	45	0	2,677.48	1,249.27
Pawnee.....	326,714.83	2,335.00	19	10	0	17	22	2	3,422.30	3,996.07
Phillips.....	265,526.00	5,800.00	12	36	5	6	43	2	2,342.37	1,290.86
Potawatome.....	254,283.25	160.00	3	30	0	4	34	0	1,175.66	1,153.50
Pratt.....	677,927.49	11,000.00	0	36	0	0	34	2	468.92	1,995.00
Rawlins.....	58,301.06	95,272.00	0	12	0	4	14	0	353.06	540.00
Reno.....	1,302,488.79	.....	9	75	1	21	70	0	7,125.00	13,070.00
Republic.....	285,699.10	.....	3	22	9	26	36	7	2,036.60	1,179.90
Rice.....	753,788.99	30,392.23	3	31	4	18	49	2	5,020.60	2,375.50
Riley.....	668,767.60	1,155.00	39	29	0	44	72	1	5,181.11	1,557.78
Roots.....	393,551.92	5,750.00	36	29	3	33	33	3	3,958.54	2,500.00
Rush.....	136,658.72	59,262.50	11	17	1	56	63	0	3,177.60	25.00
Russell.....	805,387.26	.....	2	19	1	9	18	10	1,876.46	2,230.45
Saline.....	1,138,371.85	3,800.00	11	42	3	13	35	0	2,935.00	6,510.00
Scott.....	37,059.42	7,100.00	6	13	0	0	12	1	395.00	534.43
Sedgewick.....	2,464,942.83	70,807,541.67	25	224	3	8	216	16	47,037.88	41,250.86
Seward.....	137,490.86	525.00	12	13	1	1	13	1	15.00	395.00
Shawnee.....	1,306,182.67	.....	55	39	2	73	113	0	26,295.09	12,866.14
Sherridan.....	63,458.02	1,500.00	1	10	1	1	10	1	2,575.00	12,430.00

TABLE II.—CONCLUDED. Summary, probate courts. Estates of deceased persons closed within the year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	Value of estates as appraised.	Estimated value of estates not appraised.	Number of first annual reports.	Attorney represented executor or administrator.	Attorney represented heirs or devisee.	No attorney.	Estates paid claims in full.	Estates did not pay claims in full.	Total fees allowed for executors and administrators.	Total fees allowed for attorneys.
Sherman.....	\$71,316.23	\$68,700.00	1	15	0	0	14	1	\$1,318.66	\$1,199.70
Smith.....	593,585.94	500.00	8	25	3	29	49	5	2,232.21	6,109.83
Stafford.....	616,270.00	644,850.00	12	30	1	0	26	4	23,305.67	24,150.00
Stanton.....	2,344.67	.....	0	1	0	0	1	0	150.00	50.00
Stevens.....	30,312.62	500.00	5	5	0	0	5	0	481.00	475.29
Sumner*.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thomas.....	357,838.28	.....	1	31	0	0	31	0	450.00	1,995.00
Trego.....	192,275.70	.....	2	8	0	15	22	1	1,700.00	800.00
Wabunsee.....	147,212.17	29,059.50	6	6	1	26	29	3	1,882.08	190.00
Wallace.....	11,118.04	226.00	0	2	0	0	2	0	.....	50.00
Washington.....	324,135.75	76,762.50	7	14	0	24	38	0	5,693.99	2,272.87
Wichita.....	3,020.00	.....	3	3	0	0	3	0	381.00	250.00
Wilson.....	696,424.45	.....	1	31	0	15	43	3	13,136.46	30,142.20
Woodson.....	56,430.25	62,705.00	24	18	2	6	23	1	998.00	695.00
Wyandotte.....	2,006,323.00	.....	19	221	0	8	200	29	24,865.06	23,241.08
Totals.....	\$42,485,918.70	\$76,723,175.26	1,460	2,929	284	1,447	4,074	321	\$588,910.10	\$471,691.67

\* No report.

TABLE III.—SUMMARY PROBATE COURTS. ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS PENDING, JULY 1, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number cases.	Less than one year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 10 years.	Was there a will?		Number that gave bond.	Number bonds kept good.	No bond.
								Yes.	No.			
Allen.....	129	34	28	12	6	11	26	76	53	86	79	43
Anderson.....	70	24	13	9	7	5	12	27	43	45	41	25
Atchison.....	159	83	53	23	9	0	0	88	71	88	88	71
Barber.....	55	31	18	4	2	0	0	29	26	35	35	20
Barton.....	156	64	32	10	5	8	24	87	69	100	100	56
Bourbon.....	219	44	26	8	13	6	41	121	98	141	121	78
Brown.....	144	45	24	22	12	2	28	111	92	89	92	52
Butler.....	215	77	38	7	14	3	40	134	81	124	124	91
Chase.....	24	11	3	1	1	3	5	13	8	15	15	9
Chautauqua.....	65	17	5	15	6	4	11	26	39	50	50	15
Cherokee (3 foreign transcripts).....	190	61	25	22	22	8	32	75	115	129	112	61
Cheyenne.....	34	9	8	1	3	3	9	15	19	30	28	4
Clark.....	51	11	21	4	4	3	5	34	17	27	21	24
Clay.....	77	46	13	5	2	4	7	43	22	48	47	20
Cloud.....	176	56	28	12	7	13	33	108	68	108	105	68
Coffey (7 foreign transcripts).....	69	28	9	5	3	3	11	37	32	38	38	31
Comanche.....	15	9	3	0	3	0	0	5	10	11	11	4
Cowley.....	152	78	33	12	6	8	14	89	63	85	85	67
Crawford.....	276	96	37	16	9	9	62	140	136	190	190	86
Decatur.....												
Dickinson.....	124	57	22	9	8	4	19	93	31	85	85	39
Doniphan.....	111	29	20	12	8	6	27	59	52	67	67	44
Douglas.....	81	55	19	7	0	0	0	55	25	44	44	37
Edwards.....	5	25	5	3	4	2	15	31	15	31	31	15
Elk.....	63	26	7	3	6	3	10	31	32	37	37	26
Ellis.....	130	53	24	13	5	8	18	82	48	52	44	78
Ellsworth.....	61	33	5	4	3	10	1	33	28	36	36	22
Finney.....	49	20	6	10	5	6	2	17	23	28	28	11
Ford.....	82	23	11	15	7	11	15	49	33	55	55	27
Franklin.....	109	37	20	21	12	3	15	63	46	73	73	36

TABLE III.—CONTINUED. Summary, probate courts. Estates of deceased persons pending, July 1, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number cases.	Less than one year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 10 years.	Over 10 years.	Was there a will?		Number that gave bond.	Number bonds kept good.	No bond.
									Yes.	No.			
Geary.....	49	25	14	5	2	2	1	0	24	25	32	32	17
Gove.....	23	6	3	8	3	0	3	0	12	11	14	14	9
Graham.....	34	13	6	5	2	0	5	1	19	15	24	23	10
Grant.....	9	0	2	3	2	0	2	0	2	7	6	5	3
Gray.....	28	4	6	6	4	2	3	3	15	13	17	17	11
Greeley.....	57	14	16	0	5	8	2	12	44	13	12	9	45
Greenwood.....	114	45	24	12	6	7	19	1	56	88	77	72	37
Hamilton.....	48	12	6	7	4	1	6	12	16	32	32	27	16
Harper.....	62	39	13	1	3	0	2	4	27	35	42	40	20
Harvey.....	158	58	31	21	6	8	23	11	94	64	99	99	59
Haskell.....	12	5	2	2	2	1	0	0	4	8	9	9	3
Hodgeman.....	30	8	7	9	1	1	3	1	12	18	20	20	10
Jackson.....	302	32	31	20	19	12	75	113	158	144	206	196	96
Jefferson.....	25	13	14	5	5	2	23	13	55	33	55	52	33
Jewell.....	100	33	18	9	6	3	15	16	57	43	72	72	28
Johnson.....	225	54	41	21	15	14	55	25	132	93	140	135	85
Kearny.....	34	8	10	6	2	2	5	1	15	19	23	22	11
Kingman.....	65	25	10	2	3	0	9	16	40	25	41	30	24
Kiowa.....	20	7	6	2	2	2	1	0	6	14	15	15	5
Labette.....	225	60	24	15	18	9	56	43	129	96	131	120	94
Lane.....	16	7	2	4	0	1	2	0	7	9	13	13	3
Leavenworth.....	209	84	31	17	19	10	41	7	119	90	124	124	85
Lincoln.....	87	41	15	2	5	4	12	8	37	50	64	61	23
Linn.....	84	24	10	10	7	0	15	9	52	32	59	59	25
Logan.....	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	3	0
Lyon.....	130	46	40	13	6	3	13	9	73	57	79	62	51
Marion.....	128	44	20	9	10	9	33	3	64	64	93	92	35
Marshall.....	221	61	38	25	11	9	49	28	134	87	139	139	82
McPherson (7 foreign transcripts).....	246	86	25	19	15	9	46	46	130	116	182	180	64
Meade.....	40	15	13	3	3	1	5	0	25	15	23	23	17

TABLE III.—CONTINUED. Summary probate courts. Estates of deceased persons pending, July 1, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number cases.	Less than one year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 10 years.	Over 10 years.	Was there a will?		Number that gave bond.	Number bonds kept good.	No bond.
									Yes.	No.			
Miami.....	113	41	26	15	7	5	18	1	61	52	83	83	30
Mitchell.....	106	49	23	14	7	4	9	0	35	71	76	76	30
Montgomery.....	697	78	53	19	22	30	101	334	321	316	391	360	246
Morris.....	34	25	11	6	6	3	3	0	0	30	0	0	4
Morton.....	10	1	1	4	3	1	0	0	5	5	6	5	4
Nemaha.....	166	40	32	22	13	6	42	11	107	59	97	96	69
Neosho.....	66	42	9	1	3	3	5	3	39	27	43	43	23
Ness.....	38	13	9	3	2	3	15	13	22	36	43	42	15
Norton.....	106	17	17	7	7	5	9	4	35	31	48	48	18
Osage.....	114	34	24	21	8	6	20	1	79	35	89	89	25
Osborne.....	144	34	16	5	6	3	31	49	58	86	104	79	40
Ottawa.....	75	39	14	4	2	2	11	3	33	42	60	58	15
Pawnee.....	32	23	5	2	0	1	0	1	15	17	22	22	10
Phillips.....	118	44	30	16	13	13	2	0	41	77	97	95	21
Pottawatomie.....	103	51	27	11	14	0	0	0	52	51	71	71	32
Pratt.....	121	36	20	11	9	3	38	4	76	45	54	54	67
Rawlins (30 foreign transcripts).....	37	17	9	6	8	4	5	8	22	35	45	45	12
Reno.....	334	88	61	21	23	10	62	69	173	161	213	213	121
Republic (6 foreign transcripts).....	85	49	9	8	5	4	8	2	54	31	64	64	21
Rice.....	193	52	29	9	9	6	30	58	114	79	111	96	82
Riley.....	196	61	31	24	17	8	29	26	99	97	144	139	52
Rooks (27 foreign transcripts).....	82	22	14	2	6	11	23	4	38	44	56	56	26
Rush (36 foreign transcripts).....	78	19	8	2	7	2	13	10	39	39	56	50	22
Russell.....	97	18	32	9	9	5	20	4	50	47	75	75	22
Saline.....	183	79	48	35	11	0	4	0	81	102	146	146	37
Scott.....	13	5	5	1	0	0	2	0	6	7	7	7	6
Seawick.....	803	269	151	87	63	62	156	15	412	391	494	494	309
Seward.....	95	6	3	6	3	5	25	46	36	59	65	30	30
Shawnee (29 foreign transcripts).....	*534	133	95	45	31	46	111	73	266	268	348	348	186
Sheridan.....	20	7	7	3	1	2	0	0	10	10	15	15	5

TABLE III.—CONTINUED. Summary probate courts. Estates of deceased persons pending, July 1, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number cases.	Less than one year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 10 years.	Over 10 years.	Was there a will?		Number that gave bond.	Number bonds kept good.	No bond.
									Yes.	No.			
Sherman.....	38	16	3	5	0	1	8	5	14	24	27	27	11
Smith.....	46	32	11	2	1	0	0	0	17	29	35	35	11
Stafford.....	54	37	3	3	0	2	8	1	37	17	24	24	30
Stanton.....	10	6	1	2	0	1	0	0	6	4	4	4	6
Stevens.....	14	1	6	2	0	0	4	1	4	10	11	11	3
Sunnert.....													
Thomas.....	57	23	11	9	4	2	6	2	16	41	50	50	7
Trego.....	50	10	11	1	6	3	15	4	21	29	37	36	13
Wabunsee.....	108	32	17	9	6	12	16	16	52	56	80	74	28
Wallace.....	11	2	5	3	1	0	0	0	7	4	6	6	5
Washington.....	83	38	18	9	7	2	6	3	55	28	71	71	12
Wichita.....	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	0
Wilson.....	108	27	16	8	1	4	21	31	61	47	78	78	30
Woodson.....	49	16	9	7	6	3	7	1	24	25	28	25	21
Wyandotte.....	806	188	130	79	53	46	248	62	356	450	628	628	178
Totals.....	12,168	3,886	2,098	1,111	769	617	2,133	1,554	6,387	5,781	8,053	7,767	4,115
Foreign transcripts.....	145												
Original proceedings.....	71												
Total cases.....	12,384												

\* Seventy-one cases filed too recently for data to be given.

† No report.

TABLE III.—CONTINUED. Summary probate courts. Estates of deceased persons pending, July 1, 1938

COUNTIES.	Inventory filed within 60 days.	Inventory filed after 60 days.	No inventory filed.	Value of estates appraised.	Value of estates not appraised.	Number of first annual reports.	No first annual report filed.	Did attorney represent		No attorney.
								Executor or administrator?	Heirs or devisees?	
Allen.....	62	45	22	\$965,182.20	\$49,216.60	46	83	77	26	52
Anderson.....	25	37	37	201,399.88	30,178.47	3	3	8	1	62
Archison.....	67	22	67	794,738.58	681,735.67	4	155	40	35	119
Barber.....	20	12	23	1,143,893.17	2,000.00	4	51	47	3	7
Barton.....	101	25	30	3,498,301.93	155,280.07	18	138	74	0	82
Bourbon.....	114	36	60	714,346.52	330,086.01	24	195	120	9	97
Brown.....	82	34	28	1,735,814.76	58,701.44	46	98	37	10	106
Butler.....	49	41	125	3,459,272.88	937,196.00	31	184	215	2	0
Chase.....	13	6	5	282,659.65	.....	6	18	6	6	17
Chautauqua.....	28	12	25	298,122.35	11,932.11	6	59	50	9	15
Cherokee.....	126	21	43	711,033.78	.....	15	175	11	2	178
Cheyenne.....	25	4	5	316,529.60	1,300.00	8	26	34	1	0
Clark.....	8	18	25	507,280.53	.....	3	48	44	0	7
Clay.....	53	15	9	1,144,207.67	33,195.00	15	62	40	22	37
Cloud.....	130	37	9	2,193,697.21	26,753.92	49	127	41	5	135
Coffey.....	56	10	3	414,444.78	.....	12	57	53	0	16
Comanche.....	11	2	2	55,460.70	250.00	3	12	12	0	3
Cowley.....	65	65	22	1,734,792.00	17,210.00	20	132	122	30	33
Crawford.....	171	46	59	1,567,542.75	95,058.00	49	227	142	33	133
Decatur.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dickinson.....	72	36	16	980,589.63	1,192,187.41	54	70	33	10	90
Doniphan.....	111	0	0	1,229,694.71	3,800.00	33	33	78	26	59
Douglas.....	47	22	12	699,054.20	.....	3	78	80	0	1
Edwards.....	30	8	8	904,653.81	52,090.00	12	34	46	3	0
Elk.....	58	4	1	842,462.41	371,480.00	20	43	33	11	27
Ellis.....	98	20	12	1,983,779.11	.....	15	115	35	1	95
Ellsworth.....	50	5	16	1,092,212.97	.....	9	52	55	4	6
Finney.....	27	7	15	202,705.17	3,100.00	10	39	39	2	2
Ford.....	30	10	36	857,861.00	.....	3	79	82	0	0
Franklin.....	76	17	16	887,152.45	172,793.29	6	103	61	3	48

TABLE III.—CONTINUED. Summary probate courts. Estates of deceased persons pending, July 1, 1938

COUNTIES.	Inventory filed within 60 days.	Inventory filed after 60 days.	No inventory filed.	Value of estates appraised.	Value of estates not appraised.	Number of first annual reports.	No first annual report filed.	Did attorney represent		No attorney.
								Executor or administrator?	Heirs or devisees?	
Geary.....	35	6	8	\$453,562.00	\$6,458.00	2	47	49	0	0
Gove.....	15	7	1	237,921.68	.....	15	8	19	0	4
Graham.....	25	3	6	136,550.08	10,508.00	2	32	20	0	14
Grant.....	6	1	2	51,330.97	.....	0	9	9	0	0
Gray.....	16	10	2	255,883.73	.....	10	18	25	1	3
Greeley.....	13	0	44	345,671.14	22,200.00	1	56	42	2	13
Greenwood.....	79	24	11	963,197.48	.....	25	89	19	3	94
Hamilton.....	27	12	9	155,273.00	9,973.00	13	35	0	0	48
Harper.....	8	4	4	961,286.47	.....	16	46	60	0	2
Harvey.....	85	47	26	2,159,397.00	535,605.00	37	121	115	15	43
Haskell.....	6	5	1	83,478.10	19,700.00	2	10	12	1	0
Hodgeman.....	18	6	6	320,563.43	1,377.25	5	25	30	1	0
Jackson.....	164	92	46	163,101.25	1,450,433.37	78	224	84	5	218
Jefferson.....	43	38	7	1,007,526.16	.....	53	35	70	24	17
Jewell.....	67	26	7	398,242.36	623,125.37	24	76	46	4	50
Johnson.....	124	51	50	2,064,310.49	118,800.00	49	176	224	28	1
Kearny.....	21	10	3	438,890.79	.....	11	23	23	0	11
Kingman.....	38	20	7	1,082,202.74	.....	19	46	27	2	37
Kiowa.....	16	4	0	323,566.37	.....	4	16	16	0	4
Labette.....	93	48	84	1,037,952.76	43,625.14	17	208	42	3	183
Lane.....	13	1	2	125,884.39	.....	8	8	3	3	13
Leavenworth.....	77	38	94	263,129.82	773,734.42	10	199	93	3	116
Lincoln.....	71	11	5	792,523.43	.....	23	64	41	6	46
Linn.....	67	17	0	686,755.00	10,050.00	44	40	29	14	53
Logan.....	1	2	0	109,830.00	.....	0	3	3	0	0
Lyon.....	37	23	70	1,147,953.16	1,465,474.00	40	90	106	1	23
Marion.....	83	29	16	2,161,838.66	.....	46	82	75	4	53
Marshall.....	163	36	22	2,714,975.00	30,950.00	55	166	96	4	124
McPherson.....	166	59	21	3,469,224.99	208,147.00	40	206	179	10	67
Meade.....	25	13	2	504,335.01	9,600.00	13	27	39	21	1



TABLE III.—CONTINUED. Summary probate courts. Estates of deceased persons pending, July 1, 1938

COUNTIES.	Inventory filed within 60 days.	Inventory filed after 60 days.	No inventory filed.	Value of estates appraised.	Value of estates not appraised.	Number of first annual reports.	No first annual report filed.	Did attorney represent		No attorney.
								Executor or administrator?	Heirs or devisees?	
Miami.....	95	12	6	\$964,541.32	\$616,908.78	28	85	30	19	81
Mitchell.....	81	15	10	1,149,328.12	.....	7	99	27	5	79
Mongomery.....	259	162	216	6,174,056.11	1,410,795.37	87	550	370	28	267
Morris.....	38	10	6	561,799.16	.....	1	53	41	0	13
Morton.....	9	1	0	68,156.49	.....	2	8	7	4	3
Nemaha.....	116	30	20	1,168,274.71	1,160,298.50	80	86	79	28	87
Neosho.....	45	7	14	710,672.33	.....	14	52	23	0	43
Ness.....	43	11	4	614,735.75	99,617.00	13	45	15	1	43
Norton.....	49	16	1	503,651.65	150,435.21	6	60	66	0	0
Osage.....	79	24	11	455,905.43	315,675.50	50	64	73	4	41
Osborne.....	70	15	59	715,625.42	55,060.00	11	133	7	1	137
Ottawa.....	69	3	3	709,879.91	.....	8	67	32	3	42
Pawnee.....	28	3	1	705,944.36	1,581.86	3	29	32	0	0
Phillips.....	92	16	10	680,164.00	14,350.00	11	107	112	12	4
Pottawatomie.....	79	10	14	692,151.02	20,775.00	13	90	89	0	14
Pratt.....	40	42	39	2,358,260.80	240,400.00	16	105	121	0	0
Rawlins.....	47	9	1	2,202,507.20	311,478.06	8	49	45	1	12
Reano.....	117	111	106	3,535,210.18	.....	35	299	332	1	2
Republic.....	71	7	7	1,425,530.49	.....	14	71	35	34	50
Rice.....	82	24	87	1,547,209.92	89,866.75	14	179	56	5	137
Riley.....	137	40	19	2,149,830.73	15,424.70	101	95	72	4	124
Rooks.....	60	16	6	1,278,748.01	14,860.25	36	64	64	3	18
Rush.....	47	13	18	848,290.79	782,539.86	16	62	15	4	60
Russell.....	61	21	15	943,695.78	174,153.61	11	86	25	4	71
Saline.....	104	34	45	2,318,547.48	66,203.00	6	177	121	7	62
Scott.....	9	3	1	169,431.92	.....	3	10	13	0	0
Sedgwick.....	265	265	283	5,397,449.88	280,778.65	56	747	799	44	4
Seward.....	29	26	40	676,030.86	1,095.00	20	75	43	0	52
Shawnee.....	179	198	157	5,144,171.84	.....	171	363	57	35	477
Sheridan.....	15	5	0	66,899.39	55,947.50	10	10	15	3	5

TABLE III.—CONCLUDED. Summary probate courts. Estates of deceased persons pending, July 1, 1938

COUNTIES.	Inventory filed within 60 days.	Inventory filed after 60 days.	No inventory filed.	Value of estates appraised.	Value of estates not appraised.	Number of first annual reports.	No first annual report filed.	Did attorney represent		No attorney
								Executor or administrator?	Heirs or devisees?	
Sherman.....	22	9	7	\$133,278.87	\$17,829.00	4	34	35	1	3
Smith.....	33	7	6	410,724.75	11,800.00	2	44	16	0	30
Stafford.....	39	12	3	343,195.00	1,056,850.00	10	44	50	1	4
Stanton.....	1	4	5	52,932.53	.....	0	10	5	0	5
Stevens.....	10	3	1	30,147.46	4,935.00	3	11	11	10	3
Sumner†.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thomas.....	55	1	1	432,649.24	1,085.00	10	47	55	0	2
Trego.....	39	8	3	422,647.00	.....	18	32	6	0	44
Wabausee.....	71	21	16	1,654,179.46	40,726.00	28	80	21	8	84
Wallace.....	8	3	0	28,520.50	.....	1	10	10	0	1
Washington.....	68	11	4	720,195.14	206,939.25	17	66	0	0	83
Wichita.....	2	0	0	4,360.47	.....	2	0	2	0	0
Wilson.....	76	17	15	853,659.35	.....	17	91	70	7	38
Woodson.....	26	18	5	328,470.00	221,592.00	20	29	38	3	11
Wyandotte.....	353	237	216	3,027,516.50	.....	61	745	740	0	66
Totals.....	6,660	2,741	2,767	\$108,351,511.18	\$17,006,105.39	2,233	9,935	7,166	689	4,954

† No report.

TABLE IV.—GUARDIAN ESTATES OF MINORS, INSANE, OR OTHER INCOMPETENT PERSONS CLOSED WITHIN THE YEAR ENDING  
JUNE 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	No. of cases.	Less than one year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 10 years.	More than 10 years.	Was ward a minor, insane or other incompetent person?			Was guardian appointed for person of ward?		Value of guardianship estates.
									Minor.	Insane.	Incompetent.	Yes.	No.	
Allen.....	10	5	0	0	1	0	3	1	5	1	4	9	1	\$5,196.14
Anderson.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....
Atchison.....	7	0	1	1	0	1	2	2	5	2	0	7	0	16,921.27
Barber.....	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	1	2	15,403.62
Barton.....	20	0	1	0	1	2	7	9	20	1	0	20	0	122,364.56
Bourbon.....	9	1	0	2	2	0	3	1	2	2	5	0	9	18,501.28
Brown.....	6	0	0	1	1	1	1	3	2	1	3	2	4	13,694.00
Butler.....	14	2	3	2	1	1	2	3	10	1	3	14	0	47,784.67
Chase.....	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	4,802.95
Chautauqua.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....
Cherokee.....	4	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	3	0	1	3	1	150.00
Cheyenne.....	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	0	0	3	0	11,000.00
Clark.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....
Clay.....	14	1	6	1	0	1	3	4	9	5	0	14	0	29,692.46
Cloud.....	9	0	0	1	0	1	3	3	8	1	0	9	0	20,740.29
Coffey.....	14	1	0	3	0	0	4	6	11	3	0	13	1	7,807.25
Comanche.....	12	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	0	2	0	1,800.00
Cowley.....	10	1	3	1	1	0	1	3	4	2	4	9	1	46,635.00
Crawford.....	17	2	3	1	0	2	4	6	12	4	1	16	1	57,833.00
Decatur.....	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	3	5,806.00
Dickinson.....	26	1	3	1	2	3	9	7	19	4	3	7	19	79,410.05
(3 ign. transc.)														
Doniphan.....	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	4	0	3,600.00
Douglas.....	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	3	10,605.00
Edwards.....	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	31,601.81
Elk.....	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	0	3	0	2,600.00



TABLE IV.—CONTINUED. Guardian estates of minors, insane, or other incompetent persons closed within the year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	No. of cases.	Less than one year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 10 years.	More than 10 years.	Was ward a minor, insane or other incompetent person?			Was guardian appointed for person of ward?		Value of guardianship estates.
									Minor.	Insane.	Incompetent.	Yes.	No.	
Lyon.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...
Marion.....	10	0	0	2	2	1	1	4	8	1	1	10	0	\$36,296.81
Marshall.....	15	4	0	2	2	0	2	7	11	3	1	15	0	16,308.00
McPherson.....	12	1	2	0	0	0	3	6	10	1	1	12	0	39,410.72
Meade.....	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	2,000.00
Miami.....	15	2	0	1	1	1	7	3	13	1	1	8	7	14,750.90
Mitchell.....	9	4	0	0	0	2	2	1	3	5	1	9	0	32,715.75
Montgomery.....	21	4	4	2	2	1	5	3	16	2	3	8	13	62,622.80
(13 ign. trans.)														
Morris.....	24	0	2	11	2	0	4	5	21	3	0	17	7	9,093.00
Morton.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	338.40
Nemaha.....	12	1	1	1	1	2	2	4	8	4	0	12	0	25,641.16
Nescho.....	25	3	7	4	2	3	5	1	17	6	2	25	0	22,085.95
Ness.....	1	1	0	2	0	0	3	0	5	1	0	6	0	12,823.00
Norton.....	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	2	0	3	1	4,087.77
Osage.....	9	1	1	2	1	0	1	3	4	4	1	9	0	26,236.04
Osborne.....	5	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	4	0	1	5	0	1,150.00
Ottawa.....	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	2	1	3,676.21
Pawnee.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	1	4,023.97
Phillips.....	4	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	4	0	1	2	2	3,208.00
Pottawatomie.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	3,640.00
Pratt.....	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	2	3	0	33,000.00
Rawlins.....	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	...
Reno.....	10	1	0	0	0	1	6	2	8	2	1	10	0	17,120.00
Republic.....	15	0	0	0	0	0	8	2	12	2	1	15	0	25,404.67
Rice.....	4	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	4	0	0	4	0	4,500.00
Riley.....	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	2	1	0	3	1	12,912.53
Rooks.....	4	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	1	0	3	3	7,225.00
Rush.....	79	3	0	0	2	4	58	3	73	3	3	77	2	28,070.00
Russell.....	9	2	0	1	2	2	1	1	6	3	0	4	5	13,998.56
Saline.....	10	3	4	1	0	0	1	1	2	8	0	9	1	15,621.91

TABLE IV.—CONTINUED. Guardian estates of minors, insane, or other incompetent persons closed within the year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	No. of cases.	Less than one year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 10 years.	More than 10 years.	Was ward a minor, insane or other incompetent person?			Was guardian appointed for person of ward?		Value of guardianship estates.
									Minor.	Insane.	Incompetent.	Yes.	No.	
Scott.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....
Sedgewick.....	40	7	7	5	3	2	7	9	21	9	10	5	35	\$226,752.40
Seward.....	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	.....
Shawnee.....	43	6	6	6	6	3	7	9	27	6	10	43	0	83,127.23
Sheridan.....	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	2	12,642.00
Sherman.....	4	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	1	0	4	0	2,647.00
Smith.....	5	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	4	1	7,800.00
Stafford.....	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	3,000.00
Stanton.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....
Stevens.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....
Sumner*.....	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	0	3	0	9,907.67
Thomas.....	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	3,600.00
Trego.....	10	1	1	3	0	0	2	3	5	2	3	1	9	6,675.00
Wabunsee.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....
Wallace.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....
Washington.....	9	0	1	0	0	0	4	4	4	5	0	5	4	26,890.48
Wichita.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....
Wilson.....	11	0	0	3	0	2	4	2	8	2	1	11	0	2,400.00
Woodson.....	16	0	2	1	0	0	2	1	5	1	0	4	2	5,687.00
Wyandotte.....	52	12	3	5	1	5	14	6	38	9	7	0	52	54,305.00
Totals.....	904	130	104	99	56	55	206	254	624	174	106	641	263	\$2,836,189.98
Foreign transcripts.....	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total cases.....	920	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

\* No report.

TABLE IV.—CONTINUED. Guardian estates of minors, insane, or other incompetent persons closed within the year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	No. of cases bond given.	Bond kept good.	No. bond filed.	Inventory.			No. of annual reports.	No. cases investment of ward's funds supervised by the court.	Did attorney represent—		Total fees allowed guardian.	Total fees allowed attorneys.	No. cases ward's funds properly accounted for and disbursed.
				Filed within 30 days.	Filed after 30 days.	None filed.			Guardian?	Ward?			
Allen.....	10	10	0	2	2	6	39	9	5	0	\$30.51	\$51.00	10
Anderson.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Atchison.....	7	7	0	2	3	2	24	7	2	1	944.34	25.00	7
Barber.....	3	1	0	0	0	3	6	1	2	1	.....	275.00	2
Barton.....	20	20	0	2	0	18	49	17	10	0	20.00	55.00	20
Bourbon.....	9	9	0	2	5	2	36	9	5	2	1,307.51	350.00	9
Brown.....	6	6	0	1	1	4	41	3	1	1	750.00	50.00	6
Butler.....	14	14	0	1	1	12	21	14	14	0	100.00	1,215.00	14
Chase.....	2	2	0	0	1	1	9	1	0	0	40.00	.....	2
Chautauqua.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Cherokee.....	4	4	0	1	0	3	1	3	1	0	15.00	100.00	4
Cheyenne.....	3	3	0	1	0	2	6	1	2	0	.....	.....	2
Clark.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Clay.....	14	14	0	3	2	9	72	14	1	0	130.00	25.00	14
Cloud.....	9	9	0	3	3	3	39	9	4	0	33.69	50.00	9
Coffey.....	12	12	2	4	3	7	33	4	5	1	94.50	98.00	10
Comanche.....	2	2	0	1	0	1	2	2	1	0	.....	10.00	2
Cowley.....	10	10	0	6	4	0	46	10	8	4	2,025.00	1,855.00	2
Crawford.....	17	17	0	2	2	13	78	17	6	1	1,233.00	682.50	17
Decatur.....	3	3	0	0	1	2	15	3	1	2	150.00	150.00	3
Dickinson.....	26	26	0	12	9	5	149	24	11	2	1,663.31	250.00	26
Doniphan.....	4	4	0	3	0	1	4	4	0	1	50.00	25.00	4
Douglas.....	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	3	2	2	25.00	25.00	3
Edwards.....	2	2	0	1	1	0	8	2	1	0	10.50	.....	2
Elk.....	3	3	0	1	1	1	1	3	1	0	.....	15.00	3

TABLE IV.—CONTINUED. Guardian estates of minors, insane, or other incompetent persons closed within the year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	No. of cases bond given.	Bond kept good.	No bond filed.	Inventory.			No. of annual reports.	No. cases investment of ward's funds supervised by the court.	Did attorney represent—		Total fees allowed guardian.	Total fees allowed attorneys.	No. cases ward's funds properly accounted for and disbursed.
				Filed within 30 days.	Filed after 30 days.	None filed.			Guardian?	Ward?			
Ellis.....	5	5	2	4	2	1	18	0	4	0	\$60.00	\$235.00	6
Ellsworth.....	3	3	0	0	0	3	1	0	1	1	.....	155.00	3
Finney.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Ford.....	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	2	2	0	272.65	125.00	2
Franklin.....	12	12	0	4	5	3	43	8	2	1	315.00	40.00	12
Geary.....	6	6	0	3	1	2	12	4	6	1	25.00	80.00	6
Gove.....	3	3	0	2	1	0	1	2	2	0	.....	.....	3
Graham.....	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	1
Grant.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Gray.....	2	2	1	2	0	1	0	1	2	0	.....	.....	1
Greeley.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Greenwood.....	6	6	2	1	2	5	23	6	1	1	650.00	300.00	6
Hamilton.....	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	.....	.....	2
Harper.....	13	13	0	9	4	0	34	13	11	0	165.00	255.00	13
Harvey.....	29	29	4	6	4	23	50	7	17	0	950.00	275.00	29
Haskell.....	2	2	0	2	0	0	10	2	1	0	25.00	25.00	2
Hodgeman.....	1	1	0	1	0	0	4	1	1	0	25.00	55.00	1
Jackson.....	10	10	1	1	5	5	38	1	6	0	3,065.00	12.60	11
Jefferson.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Jewell.....	7	7	0	3	1	3	12	5	1	1	240.00	.....	7
Johnson.....	18	18	0	11	2	5	56	17	17	3	605.75	11,355.00	18
Kearny.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Kingman.....	5	5	0	3	0	2	7	5	1	2	.....	.....	5
Kiowa.....	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	.....	.....	1
Labette.....	5	5	0	1	0	4	2	5	2	0	70.17	10.00	5
Lane.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Leavenworth.....	23	23	1	1	0	23	48	23	4	0	1,199.19	512.50	24
Lincoln.....	19	17	1	6	2	12	31	12	7	3	1,187.50	557.00	20
Linn.....	23	23	0	22	1	0	50	19	3	0	1,065.00	85.00	19
Logan.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0



TABLE IV.—CONTINUED. Guardian estates of minors, insane, or other incompetent persons closed within the year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	No. of cases bond given.	Bond kept good.	No bond filed.	Inventory.			No. of annual reports.	No. cases investment of ward's funds supervised by the court.		Did attorney represent—		Total fees allowed guardian.	Total fees allowed attorneys.	No. cases ward's funds properly accounted for and disbursed.
				Filed within 30 days.	Filed after 30 days.	None filed.				Guardian?	Ward?			
Lyon.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$1,710.04	\$3,515.65	0
Marion.....	10	10	0	3	2	5	64	10	4	2	2	2,140.00	41.00	10
Marshall.....	15	15	0	3	10	10	35	9	4	0	0	2,140.00	220.00	14
McPherson.....	12	12	0	1	1	10	24	2	8	2	2	295.00	55.00	12
Meade.....	2	2	0	1	0	1	3	2	2	0	0			2
Miami.....	15	15	0	13	2	0	38	15	0	0	0	785.00		15
Mitchell.....	9	9	0	2	0	7	20	9	0	0	0	150.00		9
Montgomery.....	21	17	0	10	8	3	36	16	19	0	0	2,155.12	315.53	21
Morris.....	22	21	2	20	1	3	1	3	0	1	1			24
Morton.....	1	1	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0			1
Nemaha.....	12	12	2	3	3	6	80	12	3	0	0	676.00	108.50	12
Neosho.....	23	23	2	0	0	25	21	25	1	0	2	409.41	50.00	25
Ness.....	6	6	0	2	4	0	10	6	1	1	0			6
Norton.....	4	4	0	1	2	1	19	4	4	4	1		13.00	4
Osage.....	8	8	1	3	1	5	41	9	4	1	1	34.45	15.50	9
Osborne.....	4	4	1	0	0	5	5	5	0	0	0	11.00		5
Ottawa.....	2	2	1	1	0	2	6	1	0	0	0			3
Parice.....	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	250.00	500.00	1
Phillips.....	4	4	0	4	0	0	2	4	4	0	0		30.00	4
Pottawatomie.....	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0		5.00	1
Pratt.....	3	3	0	0	1	2	25	3	3	0	0			3
Rawlins.....	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	2	1	1			2
Reno.....	9	9	1	8	2	8	18	10	9	0	0	40.00		10
Republic.....	15	15	0	12	3	0	86	15	1	0	0	496.25	250.00	15
Rice.....	4	4	0	0	0	4	4	1	1	0	0			4
Riley.....	3	3	0	1	1	1	17	3	2	0	0	72.98		3
Rock.....	4	4	0	3	1	0	16	3	3	0	0	375.00	225.00	4
Rush.....	67	39	12	4	2	73	26	7	6	1	1	790.00	42.00	9
Russell.....	7	6	2	1	2	86	26	0	2	1	1	680.00	155.00	7
Saline.....	10	10	0	2	2	6	15	10	3	0	0		775.00	10

TABLE IV.—CONCLUDED. Guardian estates of minors, insane, or other incompetent persons closed within the year ending June 30, 1938

COUNTIES.	No. of cases bond given.	Bond kept good.	No bond filed.	Inventory.			No. of ward's annual reports.	No. cases investment of ward's funds supervised by the court.	Did attorney represent—		Total fees allowed guardian.	Total fees allowed attorneys.	No. cases ward's funds properly accounted for and disbursed.
				Filed within 30 days.	Filed after 30 days.	None filed.			Guardian?	Ward?			
Scott.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$2,801.80	\$1,980.00	0
Sedgwick.....	40	40	0	12	8	20	106	40	35	4	.....	.....	40
Seward.....	2	2	0	0	0	2	4	0	2	0	.....	5.00	2
Shawnee.....	42	40	1	17	22	4	195	43	9	0	2,324.50	455.00	43
Sheridan.....	3	3	0	2	1	0	2	1	1	0	50.00	75.00	3
Sherman.....	2	2	2	0	1	3	22	4	2	0	100.00	50.00	4
Smith.....	5	5	0	1	4	0	24	4	1	0	.....	7.50	5
Stafford.....	2	2	0	1	0	1	2	1	1	0	300.00	150.00	2
Stanton.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Stevens.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Sumner*.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thomas.....	3	3	0	3	0	0	16	3	3	0	.....	425.00	3
Trego.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	.....	.....	1
Wabunsee.....	10	10	0	2	0	8	23	9	2	0	.....	.....	0
Wallace.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Washington.....	9	9	0	5	1	3	56	9	3	0	807.50	374.00	9
Wichita.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Wilson.....	11	11	0	3	0	8	15	6	2	0	1,075.00	330.00	11
Woods.....	5	5	1	0	0	6	8	5	0	0	.....	.....	6
Wyandotte.....	51	51	1	10	13	29	77	52	45	0	1,002.00	1,823.50	52
Totals.....	862	822	42	287	159	458	2,385	670	369	47	\$36,922.97	\$31,319.78	802

\* No report.

TABLE V.—GUARDIANSHIP ESTATES OF MINORS, INSANE AND INCOMPETENT PERSONS PENDING JULY 1, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number cases.	Less than one year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 10 years.	More than 10 years.	Was ward a minor, insane or other incompetent person?			Was guardian appointed for person of ward?		Value of guardianship estates.
									Minor.	Insane.	Incompet.	Yes.	No.	
Allen.....	76	11	12	7	5	9	20	12	58	10	8	60	16	\$120,244.09
Anderson.....	27	1	2	4	3	1	8	3	17	7	3	14	13	113,068.72
Atchison.....	37	14	14	6	0	1	3	3	20	10	7	36	1	175,608.17
Barber.....	23	3	6	4	2	1	9	4	16	7	0	14	9	13,702.88
Barton.....	124	12	14	11	17	12	33	25	106	17	1	124	0	543,897.33
Bourbon.....	137	14	13	6	13	6	34	51	98	22	17	73	64	267,326.59
Brown.....	80	10	9	12	6	4	8	22	45	18	17	71	9	186,654.18
Butler.....	162	12	16	23	0	11	57	34	131	21	10	162	0	219,799.18
Chase.....	26	1	5	4	5	4	2	5	21	3	2	22	4	20,920.20
Chautauqua.....	12	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	5	0	3	9	200.00
Cherokee.....	174	17	25	23	26	11	33	39	126	31	17	125	49	69,403.00
Cheyenne.....	98	3	1	1	6	2	9	6	25	3	0	19	9	20,394.12
Clark.....	49	7	0	6	2	2	13	10	34	10	5	49	0	79,568.75
Clay.....	82	14	14	8	6	7	12	21	55	21	6	77	5	191,957.22
Cloud.....	128	21	11	5	6	10	31	44	78	30	20	123	5	311,257.72
Coffey.....	105	10	10	10	9	8	24	34	75	22	8	104	1	125,173.68
Comanche.....	13	5	2	1	0	0	1	4	9	3	1	13	0	39,332.93
Cowley (F. T.).....	127	15	12	18	15	9	27	27	90	14	23	112	15	403,622.00
Crawford.....	320	21	23	25	19	11	111	110	268	38	14	296	24	533,377.60
Decatur.....	51	8	3	6	7	4	9	14	36	6	9	31	20	61,948.15
Dickinson.....	225	22	25	14	10	9	69	76	152	29	44	89	136	959,082.45
Doniphan.....	50	8	12	10	5	2	8	5	31	15	4	45	5	53,024.98
Douglas.....	66	25	22	18	1	3	0	0	28	28	10	16	50	47,117.84
Edwards.....	44	3	7	3	5	3	13	10	35	8	1	31	13	89,908.80
Elk.....	41	9	2	8	2	2	8	10	31	9	1	38	3	37,091.76
Ellis.....	103	19	14	23	9	10	15	13	84	13	6	99	4	191,186.08
Ellsworth.....	39	5	3	6	5	4	3	9	32	5	2	23	16	60,749.99
Finey.....	9	0	3	4	5	1	6	2	15	10	5	29	1	62,014.84
Ford.....	18	8	3	2	3	0	0	0	14	4	0	18	0	17,640.00
Franklin.....	128	9	18	14	13	7	32	35	84	20	24	108	20	340,130.64

TABLE V.—CONTINUED. Guardianship estates of minors, insane and incompetent persons pending July 1, 1938

COUNTIES.	Number cases.	Less than one year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 10 years.	More than 10 years.	Was ward a minor, insane or other incompetent person?			Was guardian appointed for person of ward?		Value of guardianship estates.
									Minor.	Insane.	Incompt.	Yes.	No.	
Geary.....	62	9	8	7	5	6	21	6	46	12	4	1	61	\$180,144.00
Gove.....	29	1	1	4	2	15	15	2	27	1	1	24	5	83,570.00
Graham.....	5	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	0	5	9	4	1	25,650.00
Grant.....	6	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	3	1	2	4	2	175.00
Gray.....	39	6	4	6	4	2	11	6	28	0	11	28	11	52,442.38
Greeley (2 F. T.).	6	0	0	0	1	0	4	1	3	1	2	6	0	5,300.00
Greenwood.....	76	8	13	11	6	0	26	3	61	8	7	41	35	81,802.94
Hamilton.....	26	2	2	2	4	1	8	7	19	6	1	26	0	16,678.00
Harper.....	58	6	5	11	7	3	14	12	36	16	6	23	35	102,278.35
Harvey.....	124	9	16	10	8	9	38	34	75	33	16	6	118	500,628.00
Haskell.....	14	0	2	2	2	2	6	0	11	2	1	10	4	26,401.50
Hodgeman.....	32	5	5	2	2	0	9	9	26	6	0	28	4	12,687.00
Jackson.....	83	17	8	13	8	15	15	20	55	20	8	78	5	129,071.60
Jefferson.....	87	10	10	12	11	6	17	21	59	20	8	86	1	178,892.86
Jewell.....	74	13	11	8	5	8	20	9	41	20	13	65	9	81,627.13
Johnson.....	185	17	21	15	16	15	43	58	161	23	1	184	1	926,027.99
Kearny.....	9	2	4	1	0	0	1	1	8	1	0	7	2	10,807.30
Kingman.....	115	12	6	8	4	9	44	32	95	17	3	115	0	106,088.45
Kiowa.....	13	1	2	2	1	1	3	3	13	0	0	13	0	29,365.04
Labette.....	211	19	10	19	20	15	78	50	162	34	15	211	0	88,059.20
Lane.....	7	1	2	0	0	1	1	2	4	2	1	4	3	8,905.90
Leavenworth.....	164	25	17	24	17	10	42	29	108	46	10	164	0	306,036.65
Lincoln.....	60	3	8	1	9	3	21	15	43	14	3	34	26	197,024.48
Linn.....	49	10	3	1	2	0	19	11	26	16	7	47	2	66,037.00
Logan.....	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	2,475.00
Lyon.....	63	22	13	7	3	6	6	6	37	15	11	57	6	54,398.96
Marion.....	194	19	18	22	12	6	50	67	156	18	20	188	6	175,592.70
Marshall.....	157	20	16	10	12	4	46	49	112	30	15	157	0	302,916.00
McPherson.....	185	18	17	12	16	14	57	51	154	22	9	179	6	746,375.61
Meade.....	15	2	1	2	1	2	3	4	11	3	1	4	11	37,683.76

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COUNTIES.	Number cases.	Less than one year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 10 years.	More than 10 years.	Was ward a minor, insane or other incompetent person?			Was guardian appointed for person of ward?		Value of guardianship estates.
									Minor.	Insane.	Incompet.	Yes.	No.	
Miami (3 F. T.)..	108	10	16	14	7	7	34	20	85	12	11	78	30	\$124,007.18
Mitchell.....	28	7	4	2	2	4	3	6	17	4	7	28	0	76,563.62
Monterey.....	578	23	29	30	25	19	93	359	484	59	35	132	446	463,015.32
(13 Fgn. trans.)														
Morris.....	43	6	7	4	4	0	10	12	25	6	12	42	1	91,000.15
Morton.....	7	1	0	2	1	0	2	1	7	0	0	6	1	18,717.33
Nemaha.....	126	12	13	9	11	8	33	40	84	19	23	123	3	273,661.75
Nesha.....	185	22	8	9	8	7	25	6	56	15	14	85	0	146,844.84
Ness.....	71	2	9	7	6	3	24	20	63	8	0	65	6	92,062.00
Norton.....	66	6	4	15	6	5	15	15	51	8	7	51	15	100,000.78
Osage.....	61	7	8	8	7	7	13	11	37	16	8	61	0	93,368.61
Osborne.....	60	2	5	8	12	10	9	14	41	17	2	60	0	51,805.50
Ottawa.....	54	10	8	6	4	6	9	11	37	5	12	48	6	64,006.82
Pawnee.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	10,800.00
Phillips.....	54	6	11	7	8	12	6	4	38	16	0	34	20	95,794.00
Pottawatomie.....	34	10	15	7	2	10	0	0	13	18	3	24	10	15,667.45
Pratt.....	70	16	16	8	0	2	15	13	56	13	1	70	0	304,908.73
Rawlins (1 F. T.)..	42	10	7	5	7	0	5	0	37	4	4	0	42	29,716.70
Reno.....	413	30	42	22	28	20	113	158	356	31	26	412	1	466,001.72
Republic (1 F. T.)..	57	19	5	14	5	6	9	74	31	13	13	53	4	216,732.44
Rice.....	175	19	9	14	12	11	48	0	153	14	8	150	25	170,537.81
Riley.....	157	16	19	16	20	14	55	17	106	35	16	119	38	511,871.35
Rooks.....	83	7	17	12	10	6	16	17	73	7	3	41	42	113,788.81
Rush (12 F. T.)..	96	7	19	9	12	6	29	24	81	13	2	89	7	82,902.23
Russell.....	155	18	15	11	13	7	34	57	124	20	11	133	22	248,773.32
Saline.....	80	31	8	10	2	4	19	6	50	17	13	38	42	140,270.13
Scott.....	24		3	0	6	2	6	1	15	6	3	18	6	20,799.42
Sedgwick.....	546	67	77	71	58	59	214	0	471	15	60	151	395	587,070.66
Seward.....	110	10	5	4	1	3	21	66	93	10	7	88	22	69,959.84
Shawnee.....	577	68	38	69	41	68	164	129	384	0	193	577	0	436,585.80
Sheridan.....	23	1	7	3	8	3	0	1	20	2	1	3	20	7,550.00

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									Minor.	Insane.	Incompt.	Yes.	No.	
Sherman.....	49	0	8	6	4	3	19	9	34	12	3	48	1	\$52,453.01
Smith.....	24	5	6	6	3	0	4	0	17	5	2	14	10	8,320.60
Stafford.....	49	13	8	8	3	3	6	8	30	9	10	45	4	141,400.00
Stanton.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3,117.56
Stevens.....	4	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	1	0	4	0	14,900.00
Sumner†.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thomas.....	30	3	1	2	7	2	7	8	28	0	2	28	2	229,925.98
Trego.....	18	1	2	1	1	1	8	4	14	2	2	6	12	49,616.00
Wabunsee.....	70	16	6	13	6	7	11	11	41	20	9	3	67	66,047.65
Wallace.....	8	0	0	0	3	2	1	2	6	1	1	8	0	8,016.40
Washington.....	50	7	7	4	1	2	14	15	33	13	4	36	14	73,513.06
Wichita.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....
Wilson.....	138	10	11	11	10	7	32	57	103	28	7	137	1	132,461.82
Woodson.....	49	8	7	8	3	3	10	10	31	8	10	11	38	51,406.00
Wyandotte.....	501	73	39	47	45	42	222	33	397	66	38	0	501	462,044.00
Totals.....	9,650	1,164	1,059	987	807	671	2,569	2,393	7,227	1,402	1,021	6,939	2,711	\$16,308,553.28
Fgn. transcripts..	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total cases..	9,683	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

† No report.

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COUNTIES.	Number cases where bond given.	Bond kept good.	No bond filed.	Inventory filed within 30 days.	Inventory filed after 30 days.	No inventory filed.	No annual report filed.	No. cases invest-ment of ward's funds super-vised by court.	Did attorney represent—		No attorney.	Total fees allowed guardian.	Total fees allowed attorneys.	No. cases ward's funds properly accounted for and disbursed.
									Guard'n.	Ward.				
Allen.....	73	67	3	19	27	30	261	56	37	4	35	\$4,161.56	\$1,097.38	48
Anderson.....	25	23	2	2	4	21	153	24	4	0	23	2,742.25	164.94	22
Atchison.....	33	33	4	7	3	27	67	36	18	14	19	2,500.00	3,030.00	36
Barber.....	21	18	2	1	4	18	18	5	18	2	5	635.00	.....	7
Barton.....	123	123	1	12	7	105	287	118	57	0	67	3,312.00	1,505.00	116
Bourbon.....	133	126	4	22	17	98	294	126	54	3	81	9,135.52	5,289.68	129
Brown.....	80	80	0	3	16	57	303	21	27	0	53	4,606.86	261.00	69
Butler.....	161	161	1	3	6	153	176	162	162	0	0	3,415.00	2,704.50	162
Chase.....	21	20	5	7	4	15	72	8	0	0	26	100.00	.....	1
Chautauqua....	6	6	6	0	0	12	0	3	5	0	7	.....	.....	0
Cherokee.....	144	132	30	7	3	164	270	55	15	2	159	923.00	625.00	56
Cheyenne.....	28	28	0	12	6	10	22	20	24	0	4	.....	11.00	28
Clark.....	39	18	10	6	7	36	54	18	23	0	26	9,600.00	.....	21
Clay.....	82	82	0	12	5	65	322	64	14	1	68	4,471.59	978.00	82
Cloud.....	126	124	2	40	26	62	445	115	26	27	81	3,767.59	695.04	127
Coffey.....	96	93	9	42	14	49	217	72	38	0	67	1,535.00	855.00	70
Comanche.....	13	13	0	1	1	10	40	11	10	0	3	.....	.....	13
Cowley.....	124	124	3	74	45	8	314	115	85	24	42	9,675.00	8,310.00	123
Crawford.....	117	117	203	20	7	293	633	311	74	24	238	7,782.26	3,795.25	163
Decatur.....	50	47	1	19	4	28	143	29	23	1	28	1,835.00	.....	49
Dickinson.....	223	223	2	92	84	49	1,128	184	61	3	164	14,476.34	2,474.60	189
Doniphan.....	50	50	0	37	2	11	44	42	13	1	36	725.00	310.00	42
Douglas.....	52	52	34	17	12	37	14	66	65	0	1	60.00	252.00	66
Edwards.....	43	43	1	29	11	4	164	34	15	0	34	100.00	6.67	34
Elk.....	41	41	0	28	7	6	87	41	15	0	26	616.32	150.00	41
Ellis.....	89	89	14	56	5	42	101	49	10	0	93	.....	.....	103
Ellsworth.....	38	37	1	4	3	32	106	12	14	1	25	1,650.00	250.00	36
Finney.....	24	24	6	11	6	13	36	18	18	5	12	125.00	150.00	16
Ford.....	18	18	0	2	16	16	2	17	13	0	5	.....	.....	17
Franklin.....	127	127	1	48	25	55	259	84	34	0	94	7,076.75	997.30	127

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									Guard 'n.	Ward.				
Geary.....	59	57	3	18	14	30	188	45	39	0	23	\$4,500.00	\$873.00	42
Gove.....	29	29	0	20	3	6	51	15	15	0	14	50.00	70.00	23
Grant.....	5	5	0	2	1	4	23	2	3	1	1	450.00	450.00	5
Gray.....	6	6	0	2	1	3	24	4	3	1	2	483.59	60.00	5
	39	38	0	23	5	11	66	26	11	0	28	24,182.92	991.65	24
Greeley.....	5	5	1	2	3	1	6	1	0	0	6	902.97	135.00	3
Greenwood.....	66	63	10	18	10	48	88	15	11	1	64	.....	.....	60
Hamilton.....	16	14	10	7	5	14	17	10	4	2	22	.....	.....	6
Harber.....	54	52	4	30	24	79	171	51	45	0	13	1,070.00	350.00	50
Harvey.....	123	123	1	19	26	79	366	11	73	2	51	6,092.00	7,140.00	124
Haskell.....	13	13	1	6	2	6	31	10	7	0	7	700.00	205.00	12
Hodgeman.....	30	29	2	10	11	11	38	25	24	1	7	25.00	380.00	20
Jackson.....	78	78	3	15	21	47	133	9	21	0	62	2,648.60	410.50	83
Jefferson.....	84	79	3	64	17	57	303	69	36	2	51	3,908.63	694.41	71
Jewell.....	72	72	2	11	6	6	121	37	10	4	64	5,465.60	576.00	60
Johnson.....	173	173	12	81	22	82	120	181	157	9	28	5,650.00	4,107.70	182
Kearny.....	9	8	0	6	12	2	38	8	5	0	4	.....	.....	9
Kingman.....	113	113	0	45	12	58	151	24	17	13	90	320.00	232.50	115
Kiowa.....	13	13	0	2	5	9	42	8	7	0	6	.....	.....	8
Labette.....	207	207	4	11	5	195	257	193	31	3	180	706.52	255.00	211
Lane.....	7	7	0	0	2	5	7	7	1	0	6	15,544.21	2,027.45	7
Leavenworth.....	161	161	3	3	6	155	475	106	33	0	131	28.00	28.00	162
Lincoln.....	57	54	3	20	18	32	106	34	8	8	46	1,305.03	320.00	54
Linn.....	49	49	0	31	0	1	141	45	9	9	34	3,060.00	320.00	44
Logan.....	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	5.50	.....	1
Lyon.....	62	62	1	0	1	62	110	56	29	5	29	345.00	270.00	43
Marion.....	192	192	2	22	11	161	639	194	36	0	158	3,022.45	714.75	194
Marshall.....	153	153	4	24	30	106	305	100	52	3	75	6,692.00	164.00	149
McPherson.....	182	182	3	24	14	137	224	179	110	6	104	6,993.94	4,212.50	182
Meade.....	15	15	0	12	2	1	36	14	14	4	1	50.00	30.00	12



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									Guard'n.	Ward.				
Miami.....	108	108	0	103	3	2	267	108	7	0	101	\$8,379.16	.....	108
Mitchell.....	26	26	2	9	3	17	54	28	3	1	25	30.00	.....	28
Montgomery...	572	501	6	109	131	338	647	165	334	2	244	14,246.30	\$4,854.98	572
Morris.....	42	42	0	23	18	2	139	39	15	5	4	4,902.37	1,825.00	43
Morton.....	7	6	0	0	2	5	12	5	3	1	4	.....	.....	6
Nemaha.....	123	123	3	27	20	79	648	113	53	39	58	8,493.00	1,912.00	124
Neosho.....	83	83	2	5	6	74	205	85	5	0	80	120.00	.....	85
Ness.....	68	68	3	34	21	16	121	63	9	1	62	120.67	156.00	71
Norton.....	64	64	2	19	14	33	126	65	66	0	0	1,348.16	281.72	66
Osage.....	60	60	1	26	17	18	204	57	22	15	26	4,543.45	1,361.45	59
Osborne.....	59	51	1	4	2	54	129	27	2	0	58	50.00	210.00	32
Ottawa.....	46	45	8	16	7	31	147	33	4	0	50	1,458.00	476.00	23
Pawnee.....	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	200.00	.....	1
Phillips.....	53	53	1	34	8	12	59	51	37	1	16	147.00	.....	53
Pottawatomie..	18	18	16	8	0	26	1	18	10	1	23	.....	15.00	18
Pratt.....	63	63	7	10	19	41	39	70	70	0	0	.....	.....	70
Rawlins.....	39	25	3	9	11	22	35	12	16	0	26	140.00	530.00	42
Reno.....	401	401	12	40	47	326	404	413	406	1	6	2,029.36	2,290.66	413
Republic.....	52	51	5	29	8	20	180	18	16	10	156	2,792.82	606.35	50
Rice.....	161	159	14	4	7	164	119	35	19	1	41	7,104.30	758.50	27
Riley.....	157	124	20	51	24	82	396	46	17	3	140	2,275.00	127.00	46
Rooks.....	79	78	4	47	32	4	120	62	70	1	13	3,700.00	2,775.00	33
Rush.....	76	69	20	22	6	68	104	1	9	0	87	3,879.48	25.00	4
Russell.....	148	148	7	38	19	98	377	152	1	0	154	1,293.93	464.88	155
Saline.....	79	79	1	7	7	66	148	80	38	0	42	12,056.53	5,518.37	80
Scott.....	18	17	6	12	5	7	32	18	17	0	7	341.60	505.00	17
Sedgwick.....	542	542	4	139	83	324	359	541	460	0	86	2,149.15	2,769.55	546
Seward.....	99	33	11	9	17	84	58	35	42	4	68	100.00	100.00	12
Shawnee.....	574	574	3	174	305	98	1,642	577	154	15	423	17,291.60	3,416.99	476
Sheridan.....	23	23	0	4	2	17	12	5	12	1	11	.....	5.00	23

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									Guard'n.	Ward.				
Sherman.....	42	40	7	3	10	36	129	27	25	3	24	\$1,860.77	\$290.00	44
Smith.....	24	24	0	8	4	12	36	10	4	0	20	25.00	25.00	10
Stafford.....	48	47	1	18	11	20	117	33	33	0	16	9,610.00	1,967.50	43
Stanton.....	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	.....	.....	1
Stevens.....	3	3	1	1	1	2	7	2	2	3	1	30.00	.....	2
Sumner†.....	29	29	1	23	6	1	76	18	17	0	13	25.00	460.00	20
Thomas.....	17	17	1	3	4	11	65	14	3	2	14	1,900.00	310.00	18
Trego.....	67	65	3	17	10	43	104	31	9	0	61	40.00	45.00	70
Waukeese.....	8	8	0	6	2	0	5	8	2	0	6	30.00	10.00	8
Washington.....	49	49	1	18	7	25	161	50	9	0	41	2,015.64	486.75	50
Wichita.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.....	.....	0
Wilson.....	138	123	0	24	3	111	179	38	50	0	88	4,862.56	362.50	100
Woodson.....	44	44	5	4	9	36	116	38	14	0	35	770.00	1,194.00	44
Wyandotte.....	500	499	1	160	50	291	570	480	335	0	166	5,977.32	6,353.20	480
Totals.....	9,046	8,758	604	2,471	1,604	5,575	18,529	7,094	4,200	298	5,350	\$316,884.17	\$101,240.22	8,127

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